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### itic Candidates in Primary Face s Complexities, an Uncertain d and Feeling of Alienation

By JOHN KIFNER  
Special to The New York Times

Feb. 28 — The outlook for the candidates in the crowded field running for the State's Presidential primary is one of confusion and uncertainty. It will test whether former Georgia Gov. Jimmy Carter's momentum will carry him over the concentrated attacks of his rivals.

**Hardly Any Polls**

The general consensus seems to be that the front-running contenders for the top spot are Representative Morris K. Udall of Arizona, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Carter and Mr. Wallace. But, it was noted, the latter three are competing for many of the same votes. And, with the crowded field, a vote of perhaps 20 percent, though hardly a ringing endorsement, could produce a victor.

One difficulty here is that polls, one of the normal mainstays of campaigning, are virtually nonexistent. The candidates did not take them because there was not enough time to measure the impact of this week's New Hampshire primary. The only poll extant, taken for the Jackson campaign, shows his candidate will determine



At auditorium in Miami, President Ford greeted members of a choir group



Ronald Reagan campaigned in Winter Haven, Fla.

## Ford, Stumping in Florida, Calls Castro an 'Outlaw'

By JAMES M. NAUGHTON  
Special to The New York Times

LAKE WORTH, Fla., Feb. 28 — President Ford called Prime Minister Fidel Castro of Cuba an "international outlaw" today in an overture to Hispanic voters in the March 9 Florida primary.

Before undertaking a seven-hour motorcade along the Dixie Highway to speak at campaign rallies in a dozen coastal sun spas, the President denounced the Cuban Prime Minister at a naturalization ceremony in Miami.

"The Fidel Castro regime, by sending an expeditionary force of 12,000 soldiers to intervene in a civil war in Angola, is acting as an international outlaw," Mr. Ford declared.

Meanwhile, Ronald Reagan, also campaigning in Florida, widened his criticism of Mr. Ford. The former California Governor said a Latin-American

## FRENCH SPEAK OUT AT SOVIET PARLEY

Delegate Asserts His Party  
Will Follow Socialism in  
Colors of His Country

By CHRISTOPHER S. WREN  
Special to The New York Times

MOSCOW, Feb. 28 — The Kremlin was confronted directly today by the new independence of the French Communist Party as the ranking French delegate told the 25th Soviet party congress that his party would pursue "a socialism in the colors of France."

As the congress's 5,000 delegates, including the Soviet leadership, listened at the Kremlin's Palace of Congresses, Guy Plissonnier declared that the French Communists would seek to cooperate with other leftist parties at home. Mr. Plissonnier quoted Lenin on the necessity for democracy "right to the end," and explained that "for us, this implies the guarantee of all individual and collective liberties."

His speech attracted particular attention here, because Mr. Plissonnier, who ranks third in the French party hierarchy, had come to Moscow in place of its leader, Georges Marchais.

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## U.S. Inquiry Clears Carey Of Allegations of Influence

By THOMAS P. RONAN  
Special to The New York Times

EDWARD M. LEVI, the United States Attorney General, has informed Governor Carey that an "extensive" Federal investigation had uncovered no "credible" evidence that the Governor had used his influence while in Congress to obtain oil-export licenses for the benefit of his brother.

"Consequently, the [Justice] Department has decided to close its investigation," Mr. Levi said in a letter made public yesterday by the Governor's office.

**Testifies Before Jury**

The allegations, originally published in the Cox Newspapers last June, were that Mr. Carey had put pressure on Federal officials to approve oil-export transactions that resulted in large profits for the New England Petroleum Corporation, which is controlled by

## STATE REDUCING BORROWING PLAN TO \$2.75 BILLION

It Hopes by Scaling Down  
Figure from \$4 Billion  
to Attract Investors

## PENSION FUNDS ARE KEY

Substantial Note Purchases  
by State Systems Sought  
—3 Bankers Consulted

By STEVEN R. WEISMAN  
Special to The New York Times

Governor Carey, State Comptroller Arthur Levitt and their financial advisers have agreed on a program to sell no more than \$2.75 billion in state short-term notes to private investors this spring—a sum drastically lower than originally planned.

It is the hope of both the Governor and the Comptroller that the notes can be absorbed by the financial markets that have been closed to the state for months.

Officials involved in the borrowing plans, who disclosed details of it yesterday, declined to discuss how they intended to scale down the \$4 billion that the state, under normal circumstances, would be borrowing from the regular markets in the first three months of its fiscal year beginning April 1.

It was understood, however, that their plans called for substantial purchases of notes by the state employee pension funds, an approach long advocated by both Democrats and Republicans in the Legislature.

**Small but Symbolic**

The companies are Equitable Life Assurance Company and the Prudential Insurance Company. Although the amount of money they are expected to contribute to the package is relatively small—less than \$100 million between them—their participation was described by an aide to Mr. Carey as having major symbolic significance.

The panel of bankers advising Mr. Levitt, this aide explained, has told the state that any steps taken to complete the rescue of the agencies, which borrow on the state's "moral obligation" to repay, will greatly improve the prospects for the borrowing next spring that the state does on its own "full faith and credit."

The bankers advising the state are Eugene R. Black, former president of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, commonly known as the World Bank; William McChesney Martin Jr., former chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, and William H. Morton, an investment banker specializing in state bonds and notes who is a retired president of the American Express Company.

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## Freezing Out India Action to Mrs. Gandhi

By PAUL GRIMES  
Special to The New York Times

NEW DELHI, Feb. 28 — India's government has announced a plan to freeze the assets of Mrs. Indira Gandhi, the Prime Minister, and her family, as a result of her alleged cooperation with the United States in the nuclear energy field.

In interviews in Washington last week, American officials recalled that a high State Department officer had stated at the time:

"As for C.I.A. activities these days in India, she knows there is nothing going on, or if she doesn't know, she should."

As far as could be learned, little Washington attention has been paid to a statement in Parliament a few days later in which Mrs. Gandhi said that she was "not aware of any such activities."

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## Drought Perils Wheat in Old Dust Bowl

By SETH S. KING  
Special to The New York Times

GARDEN CITY, Kan., Feb. 27 — The dust, thin and stinging in the lashing wind, enveloped Jim Concannon's tractor as he drove back and forth across what had been a field of growing winter wheat.

He was dragging a huge pronged chisel over the beige-colored ground, turning up fist-sized clods to prevent more of the fragile topsoil from blowing away.

Mr. Concannon's difficulties were more acute, at the moment, than those of most wheat farmers in the old dust bowl areas of southwest Kansas and the panhandle of Oklahoma and Texas, where the worst drought in 20 years is developing.

He has already lost more than half of the 300 acres in wheat that he planted last fall. If it does not rain in the next three weeks, he may lose the rest of it.

If it does not rain in the coming month, half to two-thirds of the 1976 crop will be as damaged as Mr. Concannon's was today.

At the same time, the forecasters are confident that there

## Ethiopia Crackdown

Up to 2,000 arrests were reported in Ethiopia in the most severe crackdown in months by the military Government. Those detained were said to include the governor of the national bank.

Details on page 3.

## Many Rebels of the 1960's Are Depressed as 30 Nears

By ROBERT LINDSEY  
Special to The New York Times

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 28 — The rebellious, idealistic generation of adolescents who reached maturity in the 1960's is now approaching 30, and, for many, according to the psychiatrists and mental health counselors, the trip into adult life is being dogged by disillusionment and depression.

The malaise, they say, is reflected in an increase in the number of people in their late 20's and early 30's receiving psychiatric help; by a rise in suicides and alcoholism in this age group; and a boom in the popularity of certain charismatic religious movements, astrology, and pop psychology cults that reflect part of this generation's search for contentment.

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In Garden City, Kan., Jim Concannon drags a chisel over his wheat field to prevent the topsoil from blowing away

## Levitt Asks Agency Why It Still Spends \$100,000 on Moses

By EMANUEL PERLMUTTER  
Special to The New York Times

State Comptroller Arthur Levitt said yesterday that the Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority should explain what services 87-year-old Robert Moses rendered to justify the \$100,000 a year it spends on him for salary, staff and other expenses as a consultant.

In an audit of the state authority, Mr. Levitt pointed out that, in addition to the \$35,000 annual salary Mr. Moses receives for the consultant job, to which he was appointed in 1968, the agency gives him an office, assigns two secretaries exclusively to him, and provides him with a new car nearly every year and two employees who spend 80 percent of their time transporting him.

Mr. Moses could not be reached yesterday for comment on Mr. Levitt's statement.

Mr. Moses was once known as New York's master builder and coordinator of its construction programs. Under his chairmanship, the number of parkways, expressways, tunnels and bridges in the city was increased. In his more than 40 years of public service, he also

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## Private Colleges in Peril

By EDWARD B. FISKE  
Special to The New York Times

The private colleges and universities of New York State, beset by financial problems and competition from public institutions that offer education at considerably lower prices, are moving from a troubled present into an uncertain future.

Their present predicament and the expectation that it will get worse within five years have set off a major debate within educational and political circles over the respective roles of public and private colleges and, more fundamentally, the kind of system of higher education that New York State should have.

Underlying the debate is a fundamental new fact of life: For the first time in histories

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# Egyptian Movie Depicts Repression Under Nasser

By HENRY TANNER  
Special to The New York Times

CAIRO, Feb. 28—The greatest box-office hit in Cairo just now is "Karnak," a film about idealistic students being tortured, raped and killed by policemen during the rule of President Gamal Abdel Nasser.

So effective is this stark display of police oppression that Cairenes discussing the film invariably refer to its main character, a corrupt and sadistic police chief, as Salah Nasser, who was in charge of domestic intelligence under President Nasser until just after the war of 1967.

Mr. Nasser went to court to try to have the movie banned. But the court ruled against him. Movies are submitted to government censorship before being shown and this one, of course, was no exception.

"Karnak" thus has become a landmark of "de-Nasserization," the slow but continuous process by which the regime of President Anwar el-Sadat has been debunking what it calls the "negative aspects" of Nasserism.

In the film, Karnak is the name of a cafe where students and literary figures spend their evenings and speak their minds.

A Riot and Arrests  
One day, some of the regulars are arrested—"gone away for half an hour," as one of their friends puts it in a time-honored local euphemism that makes the audience laugh and jeer.

There has been a riot in Mahalla el-Kubra, a textile town in the Nile Delta, and the police chief is under pressure to produce the instigators or at least some scapegoats. The regulars of the Karnak cafe fill the bill.

The cameras show in over-lengthy detail how over the next months the youngsters are physically and mentally broken. At the dramatic high point newsreels on the 1967 war showing Israeli planes battering Egyptian troops into defeat alternate with shots of police torturers beating prisoners into bloody pulp. Delirious crowds mesmerized by Mr. Nasser

shout "Victory!" while in the hushed Karnak cafe one of the remaining regulars says, "We are living the biggest lie of history."

When Mr. Sadat succeeds Mr. Nasser in 1970, the police chief himself in prison, protesting that all he did was obey orders. An amnesty opens the prison gates for political inmates.

A Purging of Nasserism  
The message thus is clear: the Nasser regime was a police state based on atrocities and lies.

But "de-Nasserization"—like most things in Egypt—is not so simple a process as the synopsis of the movie suggests. It is a confused and piecemeal process, sometimes inspired by the authorities and sometimes merely tolerated. And it is part of the Sadat regime's groping for greater freedom of expression. There is more discussion and debate here than at any time in the last 25 years but many subjects remain taboo, including the person of the President and his family and the correctness of his basic policy.

Salah Nasser, the real-life police chief, was arrested by President Nasser in 1967 and released by Mr. Sadat two years ago.

He is the author of a book in which he answered earlier charges of torture made by Mustafa Amin, now a leading spokesman of the political right and like Mr. Nasser one of the men released from prison by Mr. Sadat. Mr. Nasser's book, though printed in Beirut, sold heavily here, and is part of Cairo's political debate.

"Karnak" is based on a novel by Naguib Mahfouz. When it appeared last year, the novel had virtually no impact.

Nasser Accused of Theft  
In another case, touching on de-Nasserization, a much-read recent book charged that Mr. Nasser embezzled \$15 million given Egypt by Saudi Arabia. The author is Galal el-Hamamsi, a respected professor of journalism at Cairo University.

Mr. Hamamsi also wrote that one of Mr. Nasser's daughters, Hoda, had offered the equiv-

alent of \$375,000 for a plot of land near the pyramids but had withdrawn her bid when told that the land cost much more. The implication was that she was a wealthy woman, although her father was a penniless colonel when he came to power after the overthrow of King Farouk in 1952.

Hoda's husband is Ashraf Marwan, one of President Sadat's closest aides. Mr. Marwan defended his wife to the press, replying to the implied charge of great wealth by saying that when she made her bid for the land, its price was not known to the family.

Books, like movies, have to pass censorship. Mr. Hamamsi's

was cleared even though the implied charges against Mrs. Marwan would displease the Presidency. Prime Minister Maimounh Salem ordered an investigation into Mr. Hamamsi's charges against Mr. Nasser. The Egyptian Central Bank testified that the \$15 million had been duly credited to the National Treasury.


Mr. Sadat, in an interview, then declared the charges "nonsense."

And Al-Gomhouriya, one of Cairo's Government-controlled dailies, wrote: "Nasser was a despotic ruler but he was no thief." The phrase probably was the strongest ever written here about the late President.



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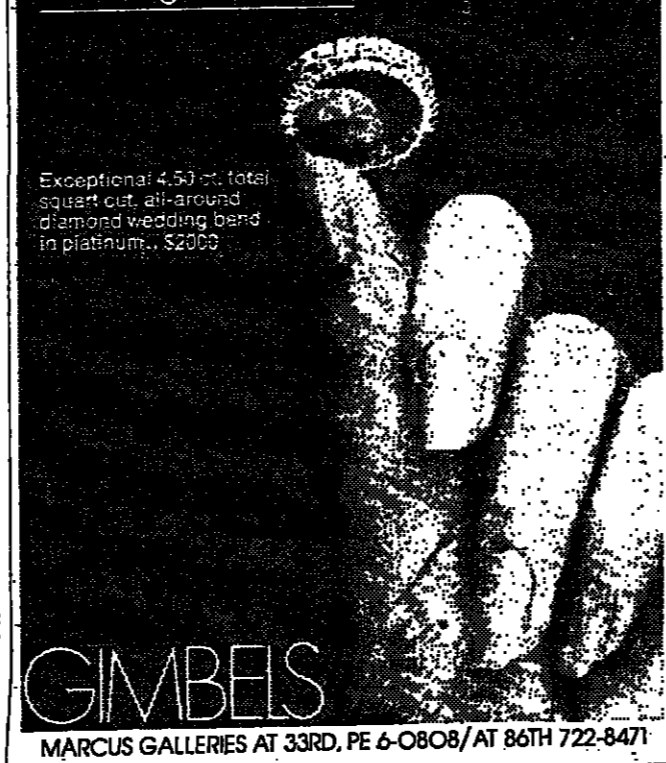
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### Establishes Relations Angolan Government

Zaire, Feb. 28. The two leaders agreed in Brazzaville to promote a voluntary and organized return of the refugees within a reasonable time, Azap said. They asked for the help of the United Nations High Commission for Refugees.

Zaire and Angola set up a permanent mixed ministerial commission to arrange details of the normalization of relations, Azap said.

"Beyond Simple Recognition"

It quoted President Mobutu as having said: "We have gone beyond a simple recognition. We have both reached our objectives of territorial integrity of each state."

Dr. Neto said before leaving for Brazzaville yesterday that he was going to meet President Mobutu to see whether they can settle the problems that have arisen from the still existing conflict on the northern border.

He said that Angola wanted friendly relations with its neighbors and that it was important to "strive to minimize the differences which exist between us and Zaire."



Argentina's President, Isabel Martinez de Peron, leaving Buenos Aires for Mar del Plata on Friday, accompanied by Nicasio Sanchez Toranzo, leader of the Lower House.

### Crisis in Argentina Recedes for Carnival

By JUAN DE ONIS  
Special to The New York Times

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 28. Argentina's political crisis, which many believe is moving toward a military coup, went into recess today for a long Carnival weekend.

President Isabel Martinez de Peron left the capital for four days of rest at a tourist retreat near Mar del Plata, where beach-brown girls danced all night at Carnival balls.

Adm. Emilio Massera, commander of the navy, who is said to believe that the armed forces should oust Mrs. Peron immediately, flew to the Puerto Belgrano naval base, where he practices water-skiing.

The Peronist union leaders, who demanded early this week that Mrs. Peron replace her Cabinet, gathered at Mar del Plata's Hotel Royal, which is owned by the metalworkers' union, Lorenzo Miguel, the metalworkers' leader, is trying to patch up relations between Mrs. Peron and the other labor leaders.

The attention of Argentina's rabid soccer fans was distracted from politics by a match between the national teams of Argentina and Brazil last night. Brazil won, 2 to 1, and that had a more diverse impact on most people here than did

Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's description of Brazil last week as the only power of world status in Latin America.

The appearance of vacation-as-usual as the Southern Hemisphere's summer draws to a close did not change the reality that Argentina will face when carnival, the festival that precedes Lent, ends Tuesday night.

Emilio Mondelli, the Minister of Economy, and his advisers were among the few people working this weekend. They are trying to patch together international credits to avoid a halt in foreign payments and to formulate a domestic program to confront rampant inflation, which raised prices 335 percent last year.

The International Monetary Fund, from which Argentina hopes to get \$170 million in an emergency loan, has sent a mission to determine whether Argentina is taking any effective measures to reduce deficits and increase exports.

A request by Mr. Mondelli to private United States banks—including Chase Manhattan, First National City Bank of New York, and Morgan Guaranty—for new loans is in trouble because Argentina has not compensated these banks for nationalization of their assets here in 1973.

The failure to compensate the banks threatens to bring into force United States legislation that would bar tariff preferences for Argentine exports to the United States.

### Scores Are Imprisoned in Crackdown in Ethiopia

By ALVIN SHUSTER  
ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, Feb. 28.—A new campaign of arrests is under way here, with estimates of those detained by the military Government ranging from 150 to 2,000.

Among those arrested in the most severe crackdown in months were the governor of the national bank, wives of men in prison, Nims of the wives were reported to have been jailed a week ago during a visit to a prison to bring food to their husbands.

Government sources acknowledged the arrests but put the number of new prisoners at "possibly 150." Diplomats and others said that there had been many more than that. One estimated was about 2,000.

Arrests Are Defended

"It started about two weeks ago and is still continuing," a diplomat said. "They have picked up women, civil servants, many linked with the old regime, three or four retired generals. There seems to be a lot of score-settling."

The roundup followed a period of relative calm in this capital. The military leaders who deposed Emperor Haile Selassie in a bloodless coup in November 1974 seemed to have relaxed somewhat as they worked to carry out their transformation of Ethiopia into a socialist state.

Government sources insisted that the arrests were "necessary" because there were "reactionary elements" that were "causing panic" by "spreading rumors" among Ethiopians.

"The Government had no choice," an official said, adding that those arrested were "engaged in a psychological battle" that had generated uncertainty and had led to hoarding and shortages.

A Warning on Hoarding

The military rulers' sensitivity to shortages was reflected today in an announcement by the Ministry of commerce and industry warning merchants against hoarding and hiding essential goods for illegal profiteering. The announcement said that "stern action" would be taken against offenders.

An editorial in the government-owned newspaper Ethiopian Herald noted today that punishments in other countries for hoarders and speculators "vary from public hanging and execution by firing squads to confiscation of goods. Such punishments abroad should serve as a pointer to hoarders and speculators" in Ethiopia, it said.

The shortages in recent days included sugar, matches, and, most important, an indigenous grain that serves as a staple. Government officials said they were surprised by the shortages because of an excellent harvest.

The arrest of the governor of the national bank, Tefarra Deguefe, came as a particular surprise. He was regarded highly by many diplomats and foreign business men as efficient and capable.

"We have not seen so many arrests in such a short time in perhaps a year or more," said a diplomat. "People are very nervous who



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# U.N. INTERPRETER REMEMBERS SLIPS

## Savors Some of Mistakes In Instant Translation—Plans New Career

By KATHLEEN TELTSCH

Special to The New York Times  
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Feb. 28—For 30 years, Ted Fagan has interpreted the speeches made here by leaders such as Prime Minister Fidel Castro of Cuba and President Léopold S. Senghor of Senegal, turning the fiery Spanish or poetic French into English delivered in a polished Oxonian accent.

Leaving now to begin a new career at Stanford University, the 55-year-old interpreter looked back the other day on three decades of United Nations debates, many of them dull but some brightened by historic speeches.

"At times I feel we had a lousy script and some terrible actors, but we also have the longest running off-Broadway production," he observed. Interpreters have to be actors, too, if they are to be any good at their craft, he insisted.

He recalled a Middle East debate in the Security Council when, after interpreting a run of vehement attacks against Israel, he received a rash of poison-pen letters and also telephone calls accusing him of anti-Semitism—very unsettling for the interpreter, who had considered studying for the rabbinate as a youth in Argentina.

But the chief interpreter at the United Nations at the time



Ted Fagan

quickly consoled him, saying the outraged listeners had paid the greatest compliment: he had identified totally with the speaker.

Personal political beliefs have no place, but at times even an experienced interpreter gets involved, he said. During the Algerian struggle for independence, he said, French interpreters more than once had to quit because of attacks of laryngitis. "They couldn't bring themselves to say what they had to say about France," he said. "They quite literally lost their voices."

It is the occasional slip that attracts the most attention to their work and the interpreters savor some of their fluffs, he admitted.

On one occasion, Mr. Fagan was reeling off the names of United Nations members and slipped across two non-members: Algaria and Bulbania.

### A Cat and Mouse Event

His favorite fluff occurred when he tried to improve the analogy offered during a disarmament debate by a delegate who complained that another was acting "like a cat worrying a mouse." In a burst of inspiration, Mr. Fagan made it a "warrior worrying a rat," since he thought the speaker meant to imply that there was some threatening yelping involved. "But then the speaker went on to have his mouse and his cat climbing a tree and that left my tender on the ground and I was out on a limb."

On another occasion, he was enjoying a diplomat's use of metaphors borrowed from bullfighting, with allusions to the matador's flourishing of the cape, when he heard himself saying in translation: "We should grab the bull by something other than the horns."

Often a diplomat leads an interpreter into a misstep. Experienced speakers have learned to avoid the use of some words similar to those which are known to be trouble, some, such as "circumscribed." However, the late Adlai E. Stevenson was inebriated during a speech deploring the restriction on religious liberty in Cuba and when the Assembly members broke up in laughter, he threw up his hands and joined in, saying, "That's a religious rite anyhow."

In his youth Mr. Fagan never planned on an interpreter's career and there is a 20-mile stretch of roadway outside Buenos Aires that he says proves he meant to stay in civil engineering. He was educated in England.

On a visit to New York a friend talked him into visiting the Bronx campus of Hunter College, where the new world organization had set up temporary headquarters. More as a lark than a serious venture, he agreed to go into an interpreter's booth, put on earphones and try translating instantly into English from Spanish into English. He was hired on the spot, joining a small corps of men and women who developed the skill of simultaneous interpretation for the Nuremberg trials.

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# Giscard Switches Political Tactics, Taking the Offensive in Face of Steady Erosion of Popular Support

**LORA LEWIS**  
 Feb. 28—President Giscard d'Estaing has abruptly switched his political tactics in the face of a steady support reflected in late-February elections. The socialist-Communist coalition if there are elementary elections, they have shown some important changes in relative party strength within both Government and Opposition groups, with Socialists gaining strongly, in part at the expense of the Gaullists. Local elections are to be held throughout the country of France next month to choose one-half of the nearly 4,000 councilors general, who handle what amounts to county-level affairs. They also have a national function—choosing senators, who are elected indirectly in France. The feuding but still allied Socialists and Communists clearly expect to make some substantial gains and have begun their campaign proclaiming that it will be an important political test of national attitudes. Government leaders, in the same expectation, no doubt, have insisted that these elections, traditionally dominated by local issues, will have only an administrative significance. Nonetheless, the Government leadership has decided to take the offensive. According to French politicians, the President made this clear at a luncheon in the Elysée Palace with leaders of the four parties that form his coalition—Michel Poniatowski of the Independent Republicans and Minister of the Interior; Prime Minister Jacques Chirac of the Gaullists; Jean Lecanuet of the Reformists, the Minister of Justice, and Michel Durafour of the Radicals, the Minister of Labor. He told them he was tired of so much radio and television coverage being given to the Opposition, especially the Communists, who dominated the domestic political news in recent weeks with their party congress and their "nouveau look," the phonetic spelling of "new look." Mr. Giscard told them to get into the fray and lambaste the Opposition. They have now begun to do that regularly. It is a sharp change from the President's previous stand that French politics have long been too polarized and that relaxation and "government from the center" must be the goal. The President himself is staying above the battle, and his reticence has provoked a spate of criticism even more intense than the complaints about his overexposure during his early months in office. The Socialists, who scored an impressive 30 percent in the last poll against a shrunken Georges Marchais, the Communist leader, apparently also consider themselves the major target of the Government's campaign. By their calculation, Mr. Giscard d'Estaing has now abandoned a strategy of trying to lure them into a broader coalition without their Communist allies, realizing that this wouldn't work and was simply swelling Socialist support with no prospective gain for the Government.

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## But Officials Term Violence Against Regime Minimal

By ERIC PACE  
Special to The New York Times

TEHERAN, Iran, Feb. 27—In a new indication that anti-Government underground activity is continuing, a member of a leftist group reportedly killed himself with a hand grenade last week while trying to escape capture.

Details of the incident, which occurred Feb. 17, were given to reporters by officials here, who said the scope of anti-Government violence was limited, involving relatively few people.

It was said that the leftist dissident, Mohammed Amirshah Karam, had snatched the purse of a woman pedestrian, then, finding himself being pursued, had pulled a hand grenade from his briefcase and detonated it. It was not clear whether he had intended to commit suicide.

Mr. Karam, whose age and profession were not divulged, was said to have been active in an "Islamic Marxist" underground group for the last two years.

Officials reported one other grenade explosion this week. They said an unidentified thief had set off a grenade Thursday while fleeing with a package of plastic material, killing himself and founding 15 bystanders.

Continuing acts of violence by persons officially identified as anti-Government underground members and terrorists have occasioned stern security measures here, particularly at the United States Embassy.

In addition, a high Iranian official indicated privately that Government expenditures on police and paramilitary organizations would increase greatly this year.

Shah Mohammed Riza Pahlavi, in an interview early this year, accused Western nations of encouraging the spread of terrorism because of their leniency and indicated that Iran would be tough in pursuing dissidents who engaged in violence.

Soon after nine persons, also said to be Islamic Marxists, were shot by a firing squad. At least two other persons, described as convicted Marxist terrorists, have been executed this month.

Iranian terrorists gained widespread attention last May 21 when two American colonels were assassinated here while being driven to their jobs as members of the United States Military Assistance Advisory Group. Many Iranian dissidents oppose Washington's support of the Shah.

# Yugoslavia Groping Through a Shortage Of Electrical Power

By MALCOLM W. BROWNE  
Special to The New York Times

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Feb. 28 — Yugoslavia is suffering through one of its worst shortages of electric power in recent memory, and residents of the capital are getting accustomed to eating cold meals by candlelight.

The situation is so serious that a typical apartment or office in Belgrade can expect to be without electricity one or two days a week.

Most of Belgrade is heated by soft coal, but newer houses heated by electrically ignited oil furnaces must do without heat while power is off, and this winter has been unusually severe.

Yugoslav authorities concede that the country's production of electricity has actually fallen by 4 percent during the last year while demand has steadily increased.

Last year, shortages were blamed chiefly on the drought, which failed to fill reservoirs that supply hydroelectric plants.

This year, the Government has complained to the Czechoslovak chamber of commerce that replacement parts for thermoelectric plants here are being delivered 20 months late, thus creating the shortage.

Meanwhile, electricity in Yugoslavia's towns and cities is being so severely rationed that entire neighborhoods must take their turns on a rotating basis, going without power for a day or more a week.

When a neighborhood is shut off, its offices, shops and markets struggle without machinery or electric light, and business comes to a standstill.

At night, people sometimes find themselves groping through almost completely blacked out streets and there are constant traffic accidents.

The social life in the cities is planned around the schedules published by daily newspapers of the dates and times on which power will be cut in various neighborhoods.

Even careful scrutiny of the power-cut schedules sometimes fails to help, since there are also unscheduled power failures lasting up to six hours.

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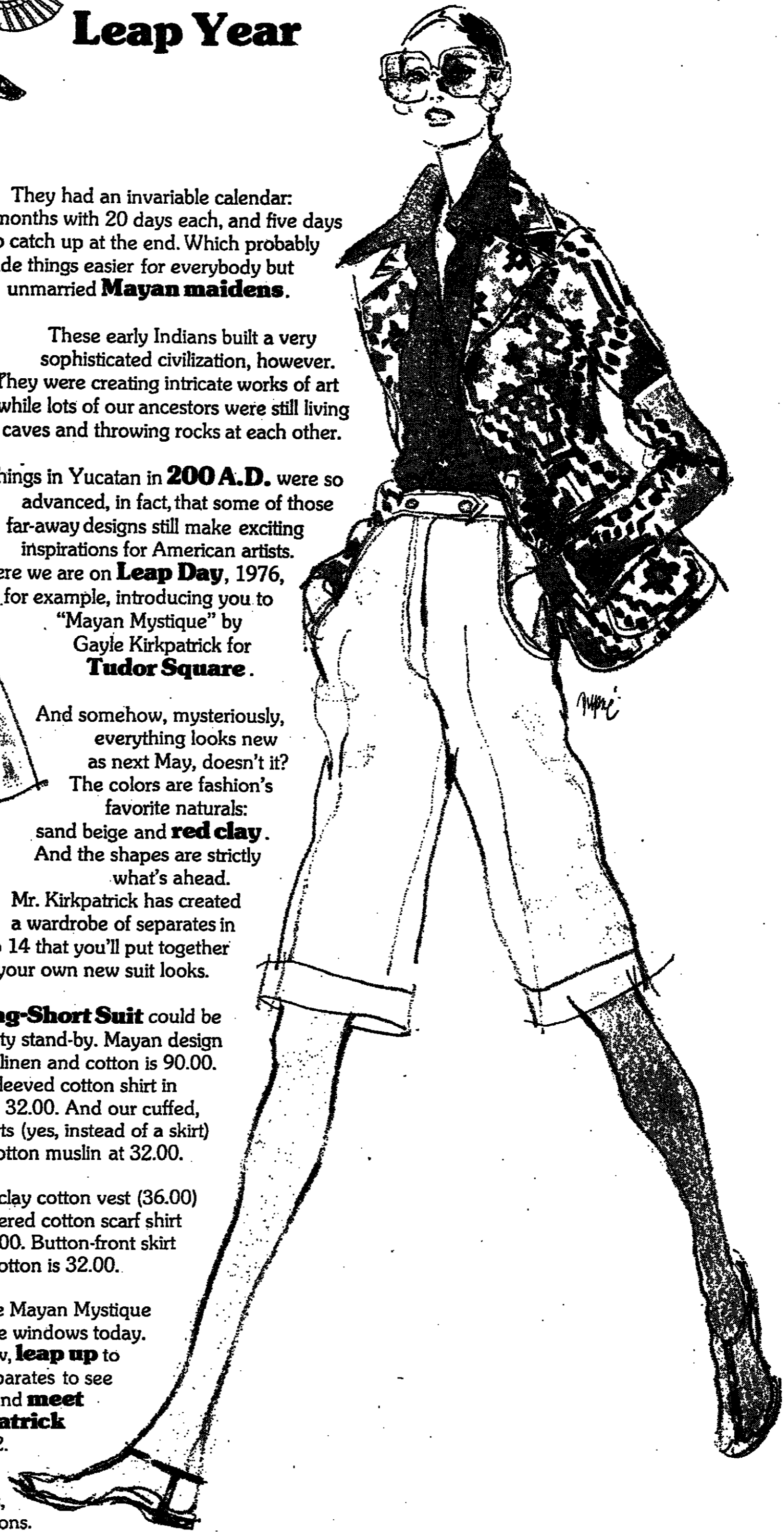
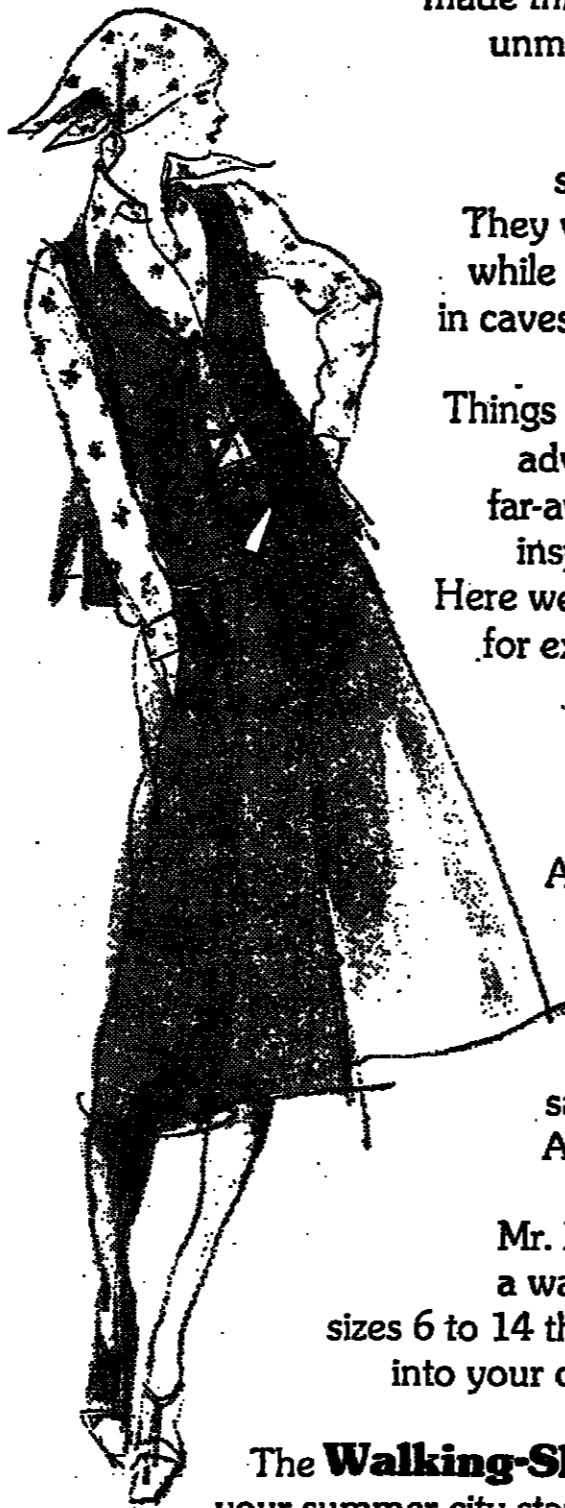
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**Dissident Force Apparently Moves With Impunity in Southern Lebanon**

By JAMES M. MARKHAM  
Special to The New York Times

NEAR BAR ELIAS, Lebanon, Feb. 24—An assemblage of Moslem notables and chunky men with assault rifles, wearing tightly wrapped kaffiyehs and bulky jackets against the cold, gathered attentively around the 33-year-old soldier, who stood under a cheap chandelier in a commandeered mansion.

"The fight is not over," said the Lebanese officer, his big hands at the sides of his American-cut uniform, which was set off with a sheathed bayonet on one hip and a pistol on the other. "You must all be vigilant."

After the political pep talk, the notables and their gun-toters went out into the snow, and Lieut. Ahmed al-Khatib, a deserter from the Lebanese Army, retired to his side room, plopped onto a cot and explained his rebellion against what little remained of governmental authority after nine months of civil war.

The tall, black-haired lieutenant, who sports a large, wry mustache, left his post near the Israeli border a month ago with a score of men, picked up perhaps 50 others and a number of armored vehicles and soon proclaimed something called the Lebanese Arab Army, which now seems to move with impunity in the southern half of the Bekaa Valley abutting the Syrian frontier.

Lebanese Army trucks and Land-Rovers with "Lebanese Arab Army" in red paint roll undisturbed up and down the main Damascus highway, mixing with the Soviet-made and Mercedes trucks of the Palestine Liberation Army, which occupied most of the Bekaa at the culmination of the fighting last month. Banners hanging near schools and graffiti on walls proclaim the young lieutenant's dissident force "The hope of the future."

With a grin, the officer, an orthodox Sunni Moslem from a well-connected family in the southern Chuf mountain area, declined to specify how many deserters had joined his movement, which appears to have pockets of support near the northern town of Tripoli, in Kermel in the northern Bekaa and in the south.

"Ask the military command how many men are outside their military positions—and, more, how many soldiers in their official army have confidence toward them," he said, preferring to use his irregular English instead of the fluent French he perfected during a year at an armor training school near Tours.

There is no figure for the number of troops who have quit the 18,000-man Lebanese Army to join Lieutenant Khatib, but one well-placed Western diplomat in Beirut said that about 650 men and a large number of trucks and armored vehicles had gone over to his side.

**Favors Unity With Arabs**

The lieutenant, an admirer of the late President Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt, believes that Lebanon should close ranks with its Arab neighbors in the conflict with Israel. He stressed that his movement was "independent" and supported by the "people of the Bekaa." But it appears to be firmly underpinned by Al Fatah, the Palestinian guerrilla organization, and tolerated by Syria for the moment.

The Syrians, who are in the process of imposing peace on Lebanon's squabbling factional chiefs, are thought to find the lieutenant's breakaway group a useful bit of leverage on the Christian right wing, whose bastion of Zahle is surrounded by his followers and the Palestine Liberation Army. Should hostilities resume, Zahle might quickly fall.

Like the lieutenant, the Syrians would like to see the splintered and demoralized Lebanese Army rebuilt and enlarged, perhaps incorporating certain high-ranking officers who sought exile in Damascus after President Suleiman Franjiyah assumed power five years ago.

A beefed-up Lebanese Army could slow an Israeli thrust through the Bekaa toward Damascus, the Syrians reason.

Lieutenant Khatib said he would return to the "official" military establishment "if it is changed from a band to a real army," if Lebanon was formally declared to be an Arab state and, finally, if no high office in Lebanon is allocated to any religious sect.

These demands are similar to those of Kamal Jumblat, leader of the left, who is known to have rallied to the lieutenant's defense shortly after he emerged from obscurity in the Bekaa.

"I am fighting for justice, equality and to finish the religious situation—the fanatic political situation," said the officer, who was aided in his search for the right English words by a handful of apparently well-educated fellow deserters.

He explained that he had encountered fanaticism at Zahle, a militant, heavily Greek Catholic community where he served as a liaison officer between the town and its surrounding Moslem villages, the scenes of some of the most brutal killing of the war.

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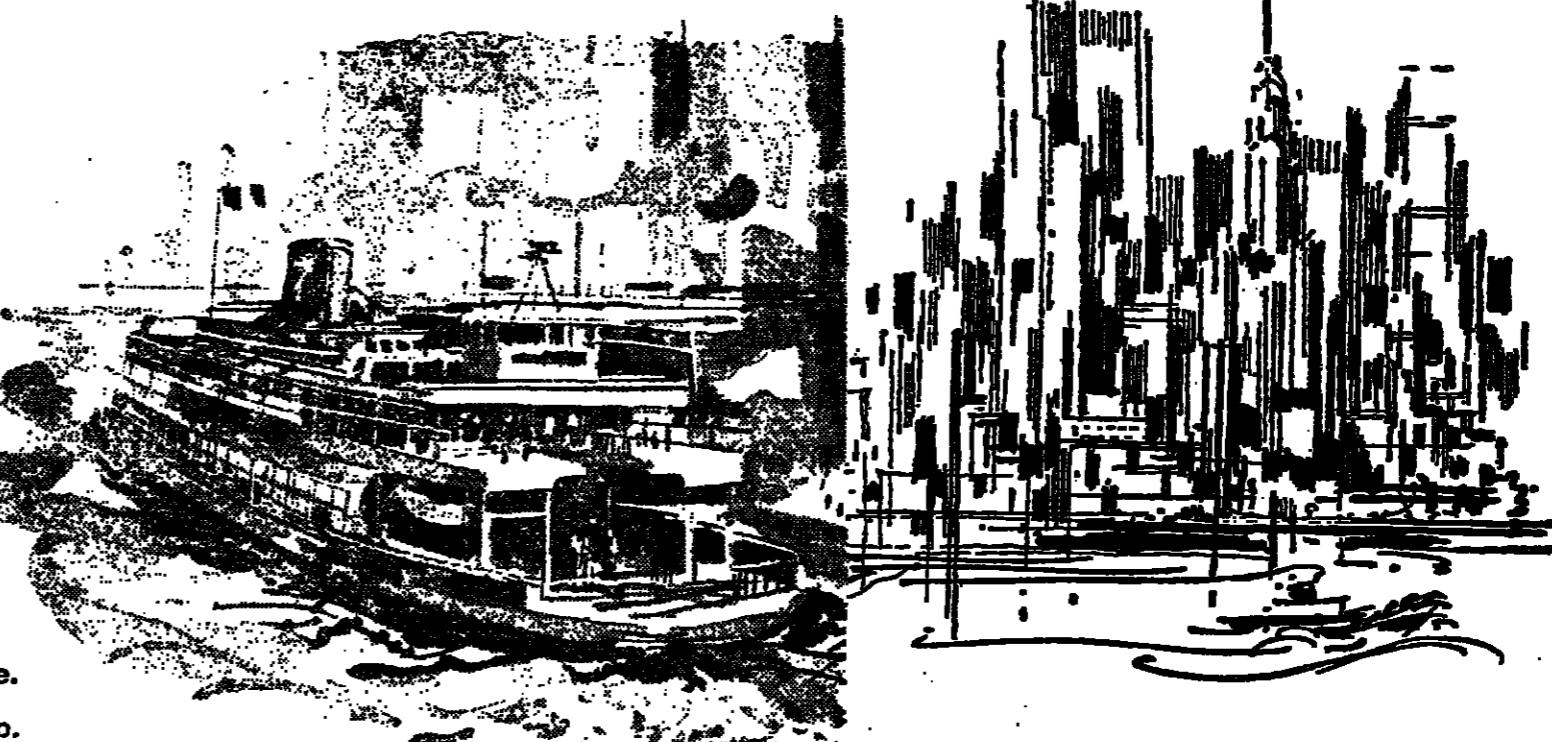
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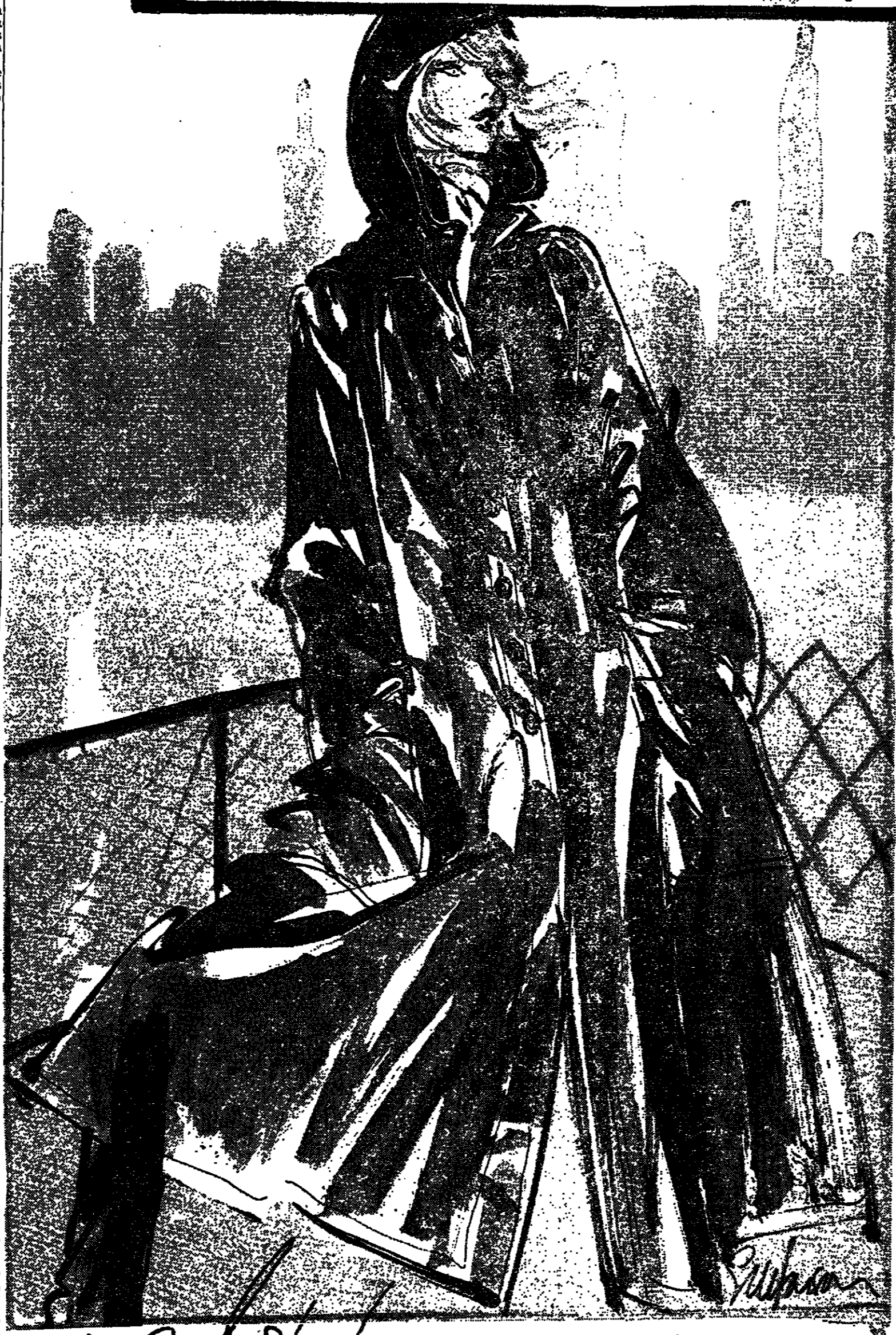


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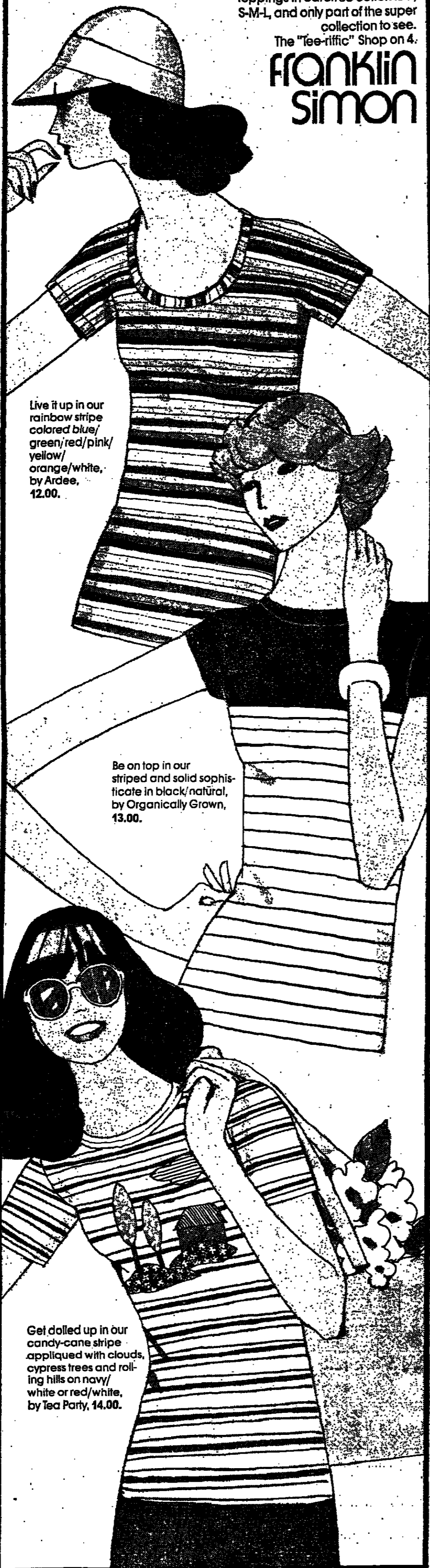
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Special to The New York Times  
ISTANBUL, Turkey—When the drums go bang and the cymbals clang, the band is probably playing Zildjian cymbals.

The Zildjians are to cymbals what the Stradavaris are to violins, and in a small, gloomy workshop near the old walls of Istanbul, Mikhail Zildjian is carrying on a family tradition that began in 1623.

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"Forty years ago I used to sell 100 pairs a month and live like a king," noted Mr. Zildjian, who is of Armenian origin.

"Now I sell 500 and hardly survive. Everywhere I go in Europe or the states, the Zildjian family is known. People think we are very rich, they don't know that we are penniless."

Mr. Zildjian is a friendly, unassuming man who wears a muffler and a hat inside the workshop, since the only heat comes from a small wood fire. Now almost 70, he joined his uncle in the business 55 years ago.

During his own tenure, said Mr. Zildjian proudly, he "modernized" the business. A visitor was stunned by the word, since the wood for the fire is still delivered by horse cart.

"Modernize," it seems, means installing electricity and one rudimentary machine. But the two essential



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Mikhail Zildjian testing cymbals at his factory in Istanbul recently.

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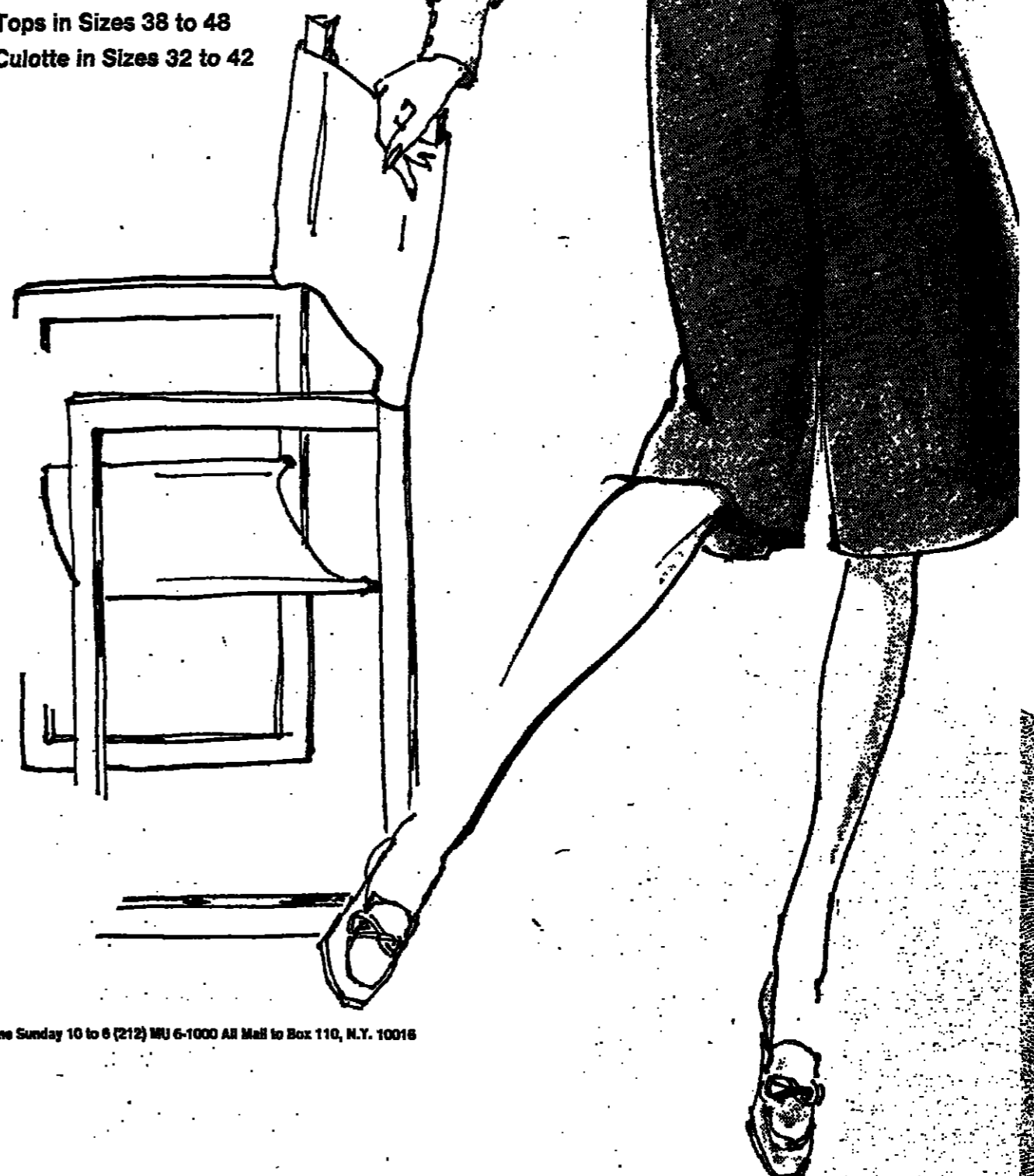
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# Thousands of Cantonese Press In to Greet Nixon as He Stops Along a Road That Mao Took to Victory in 1949

NGFA, China, Feb. 28 — Mr. Nixon moved to the edge of the crowd, waved and greeted today from thousands of people, where he later pre- "much more trade" be- the United States and

with a population of more than 65,000. At the commune, they dropped in on a hatchery of a breed of chickens known as Shanghai White, and Mr. Nixon picked up a chick.

men pedaled, Mr. Nixon said: "Ah—Chinese and Americans working together." At the banquet in Tsungta, Mr. Nixon spoke of the pedal- ing incident.

He said that trade was one of the strong threads that held friendships together: "There will be much more trade be- tween our two peoples, not just because of the economic bene- fits but because through that trade and that contact there will be more friendly ties."

lightbulb hung from a cord in the living room. Mr. Yeh told the visitor that he and his wife and three sons have a combined income of 1,700 yen, or about \$850 a year. The Chinese then spoke of how hard he used to have to work, and how Chairman Mao and the Communist Party of China had improved his life.

even better for your sons and grandsons." Then he asked, "What is the important thing you want for your children—housing? edu- cation? health? Of course you want all things, but which is the most important?"

"We have no worries about anything," Mr. Yeh replied. The Nixons concluded their visit by toasting Mr. Yeh and his wife with tea: "To your health and happiness. To your sons and grandsons."

Chickens and a Thresher Canton crowds clapped. From Canton, Mr. Nixon and his wife, Pat, drove 50 miles as he stopped and got to spend their last night in his limousine on Liber- road, where the revo- that is favored by many Gov- ernment leaders. Along the

Mr. Nixon visited the com- mune's factory, which makes some of its own farm equip- ment, and went outside to shake a few hands. He tried to pedal a foot-powered thresher, but was unable to do it alone. One of his Chinese hosts helped and as the two

people are a great people. And the American people are a great people. And together we can do great things, even greater things than we could do if we were working only by ourselves."

At the commune, Mr. Nixon visited the home of Yeh Yi- lung, head of a production brigade. On the walls were six posters relating to production, first pause and said: "Well, I'm glad to hear you're situation is improving. I hope it will be

and an old clock. A single-

20 Hurt in Jail Fighting PENDLETON, Ind., Feb. 28 (UPI) — At least 20 inmates were injured, three serious-

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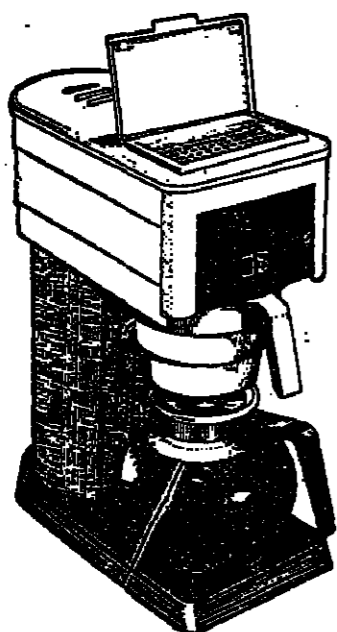


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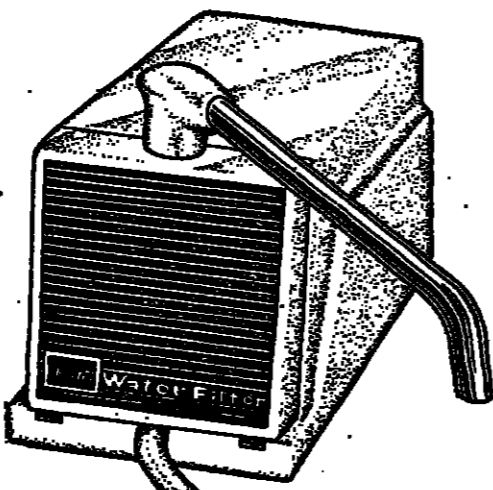
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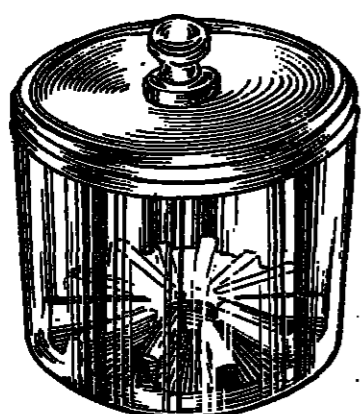
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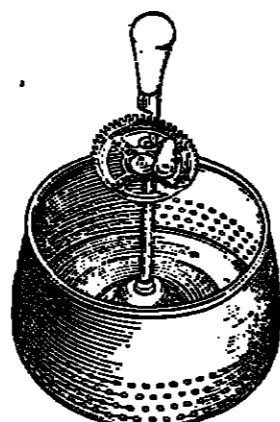
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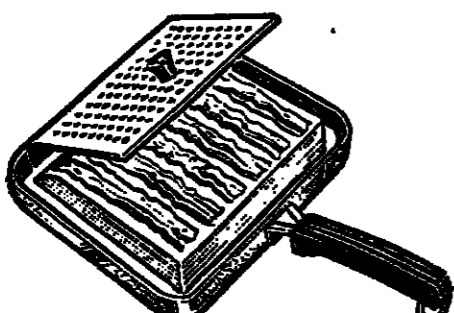
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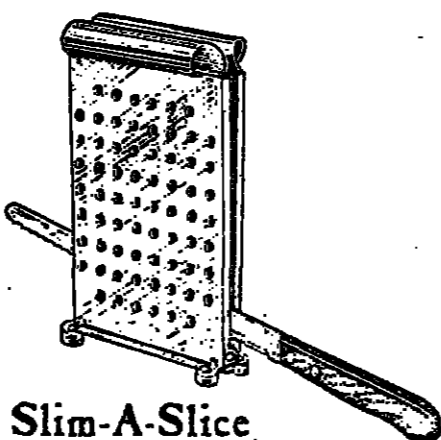
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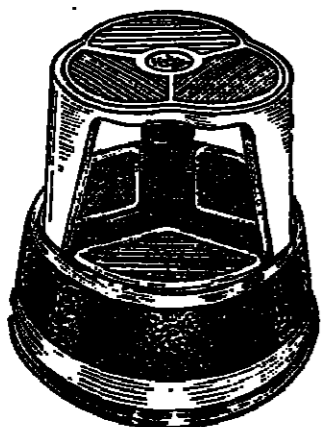
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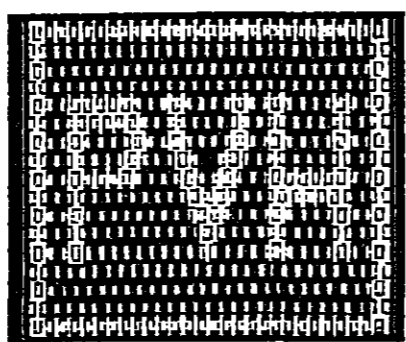
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# Canada Split on Alien Doctors' Rights

By ROBERT TRUMBULL  
Special to The New York Times  
VANCOUVER, British Columbia — A regulation requiring immigrant doctors in British Columbia to practice in remote, cold, thinly populated areas of the vast province for their first five years has come under fire from civil-rights groups and others, including some doctors.

Some critics regard the requirement as a possible forerunner to similar work structures on all immigrants. The question is part of a recurrent national debate on population problems in this country of huge empty spaces and crowded industrial centers.

More than 80 per cent of the 23 million Canadians live in a 100-mile wide corridor along the United States border. In British Columbia, 75 per cent of the 2.4 million people are clustered around this major seaport, on nearby Vancouver Island and in one or two fertile southern valleys.

According to figures of the British Columbia College of Physicians, the regulatory body for the medical profession here, a large proportion of the province's 4,400 doctors live in the mild climate and relatively affluent surroundings of the thickly settled southwestern region.

The result, says Dr. William McClure, the registrar of the organization, is that residents of the isolated northern settlements have available only one-third of the medical service provided in the urban centers of the south.

To redress the balance, in a ruling that was little noticed at the time, the British Columbia medical body placed a restriction on the licenses of new immigrant physicians.

The measure, adopted last May, requires the newcomer to practice in a designated needy area until becoming a Canadian citizen, which takes five years from the time of acquiring the landed immigrant status granted to approved applicants after arrival in Canada.

A move to reduce the waiting period to three years, embodied in a bill introduced in Parliament last December, is also part of the ongoing immigration debate.

The new doctors are assigned to an area running from Ashcroft, in southern British Columbia, to the Yukon border, and from Prince Rupert on the northwest coast to the Alberta border.

Dr. McClure, in a telephone interview, said that only a handful of doctors had been affected by the regulation. About 1,200 immigrant physicians were admitted to Canada in 1974, but most settled in other provinces or were practicing before the new rule was adopted.

The regulation was approved by the provincial minister of public health at the time, Dennis Cocke, but was condemned by the British Columbia Human Rights Commission, a statutory body.

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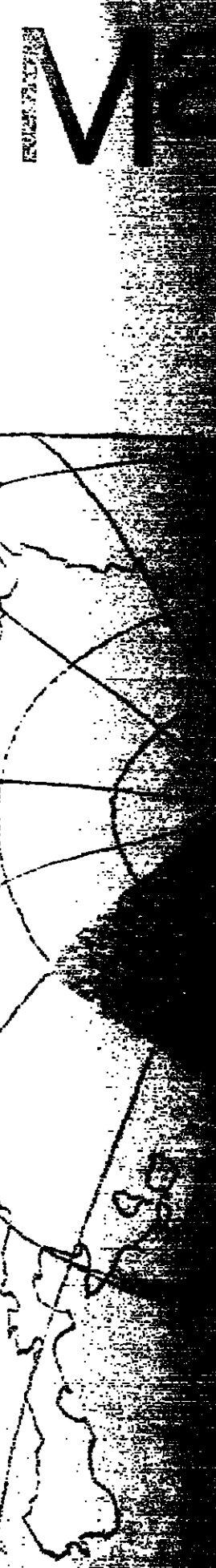
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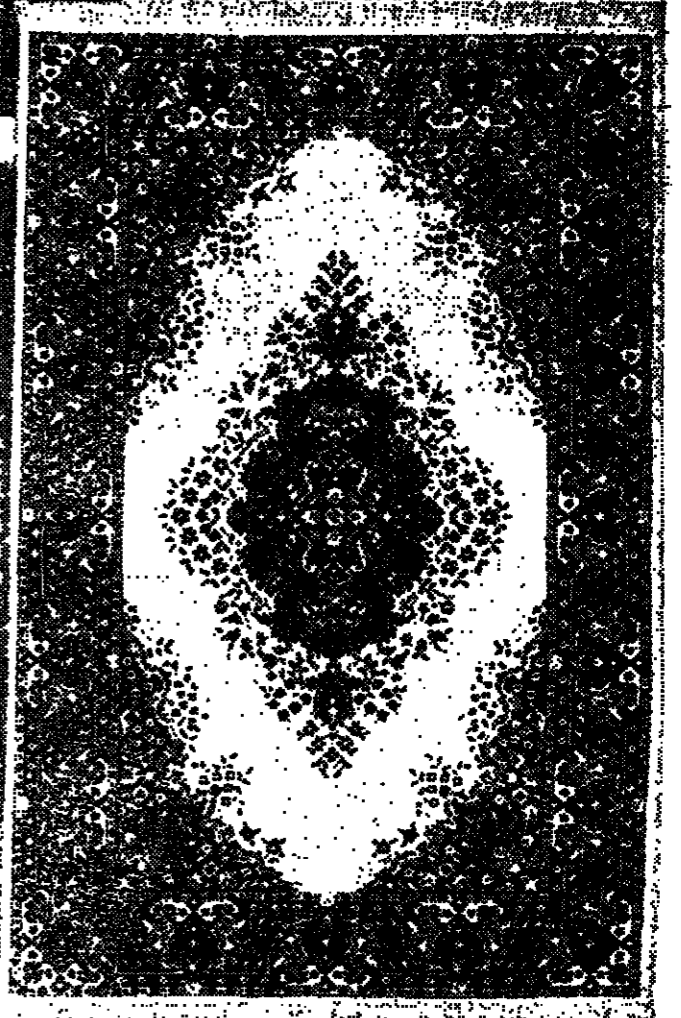
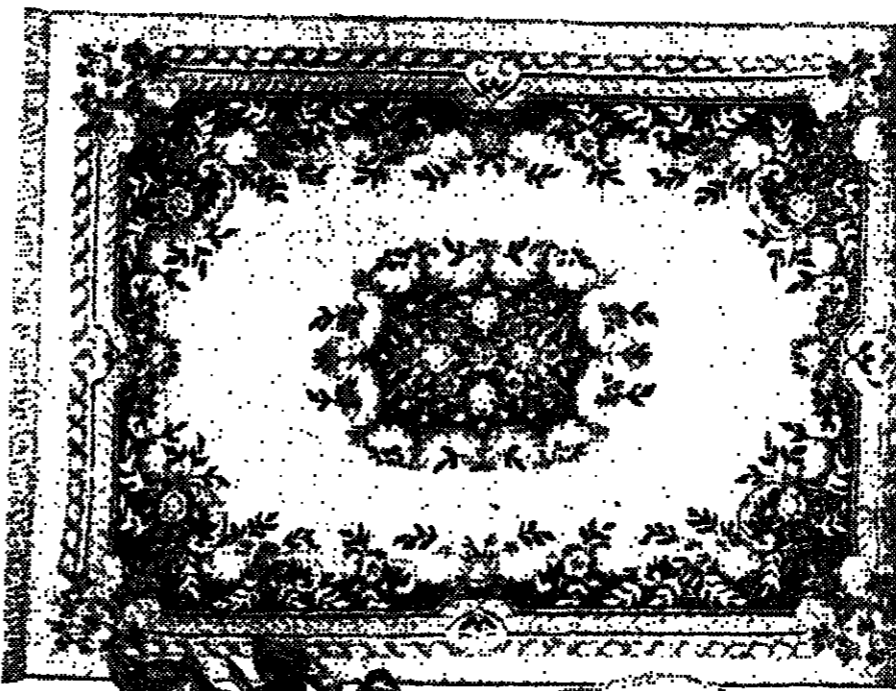
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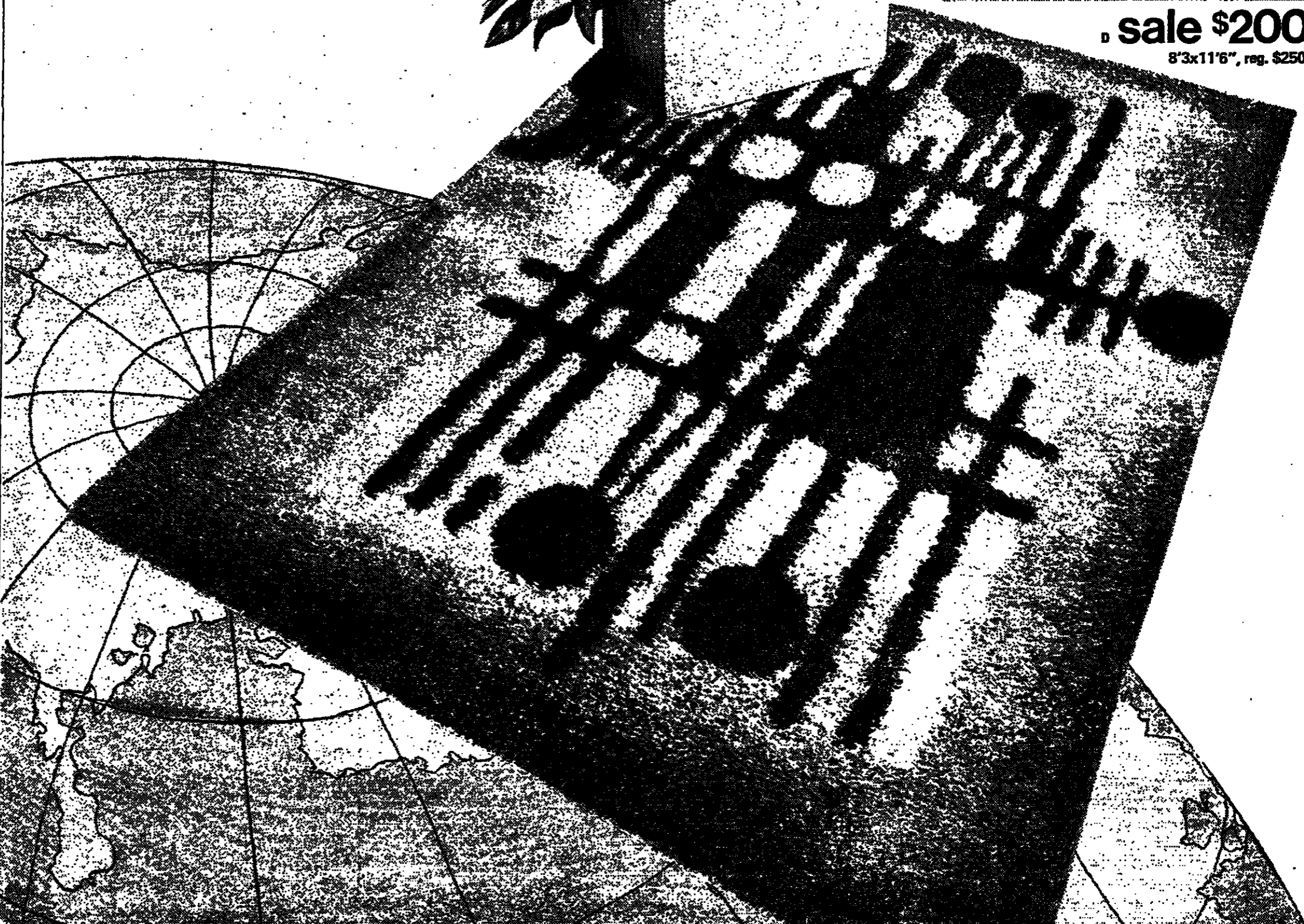
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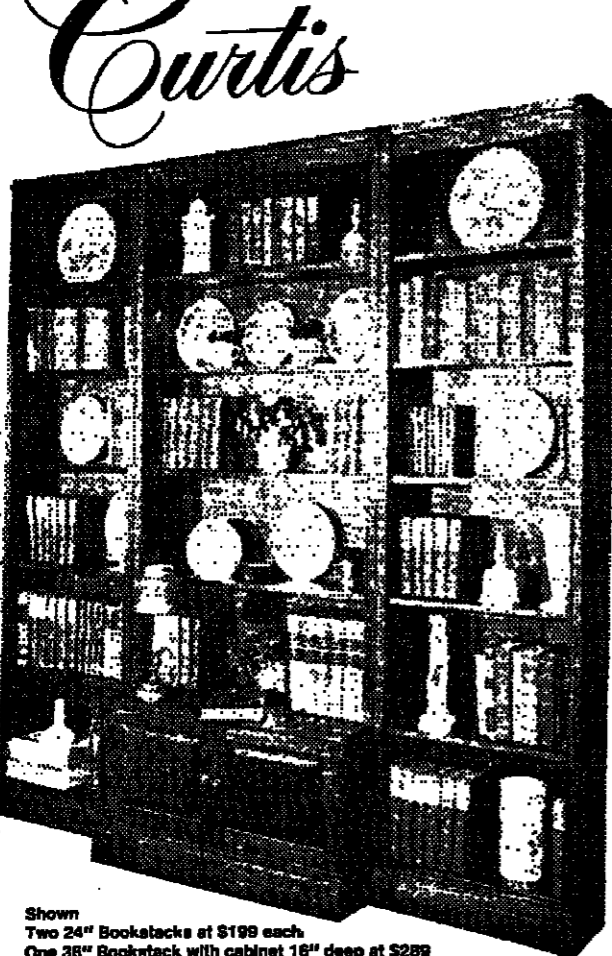


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which the Prime Minister said: "We may not agree with the United States on everything, but it is a dynamic nation and society which constantly throws up new ideas all the time. I congratulate them on their bicentenary."

Among the American responses to Mrs. Gandhi's earlier speech, one was reported in The New York Times recently. It was a Ford Administration decision to postpone talks with India about nearly \$75 million in aid, which New Delhi had requested.

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The \$75 million package for economic development was scheduled to be the first such American aid to India since 1971. The aid program was halted then because of a Nixon Administration decision to "tilt" toward Pakistan in the Indian-Pakistan war that December. The resumption had been requested by India.

Late last month, officials said, India was quietly but officially notified that plans to negotiate such a package for this fiscal year were being suspended. It was reported last week that the negotiations had been going on for several months, but American and Indian officials said later that they had never begun.

They emphasized, however, that the United States still proposed to ease India's purchase of American grain this fiscal year and would consider reviving developmental aid in the next fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1.

A knowledgeable American official declined to confirm directly that the decision against renewing the satellite television contract was directly related to Mrs. Gandhi's critical speech. But he said, "it would not be wrong to assume" that a connection existed.

Under the program, an American satellite that was launched in May 1974 gives India four hours a day in which to teach rural villagers such subjects as hygiene, agriculture, birth control and nutrition. The one-year contract expires this summer.

**Freeman Visit Recalled**

It was understood that the official explanation given India for deciding not to extend the contract was that the National Aeronautics and Space Administration could no longer spare the satellite. Sources in the State Department said the contract had a renewal option and probably would have been renewed if a different political climate had existed.

Former Agriculture Secretary Orville L. Freeman was in India early this month for talks with American and Indian businessmen and officials on prospects for private investment in India. Mr. Freeman, who is now affiliated with Business International, a New York-based magazine that promotes investment abroad, said in a telephone interview this week that he had found the view that his Government does not really dislike the United States, that Americans and Indians have a lot in common.

and that even if they do not always agree, there is no real reason why they cannot get along.

The Ambassador is clearly chagrined at his inability to meet President Ford and Secretary Kissinger. Mr. Kaul once claimed the Secretary as a close friend.

As an example of contrast to this treatment, Indian official sources in Washington cite the presence of Mrs. Gandhi, who rarely attends diplomatic functions, at an American Bicentennial reception given by Ambassador Saxbe in New Delhi on Friday.

Mr. Kaul will complete a three-year term in May. He is expected to be replaced by Kewal Singh, currently Foreign Secretary, the highest career position in the Indian Foreign Ministry. Mr. Kaul held that post before coming to Washington.

"I got bugged by the press there about this," he said. "Some of them thought it was a bit presumptuous of me."

He added that he felt India really wanted private investment, was in an "excellent position" for it and thus should say so.

In the United States, meanwhile, Ambassador Kaul is speaking widely across the country, mainly expounding the view that his Government does not really dislike the United States, that Americans and Indians have a lot in common.

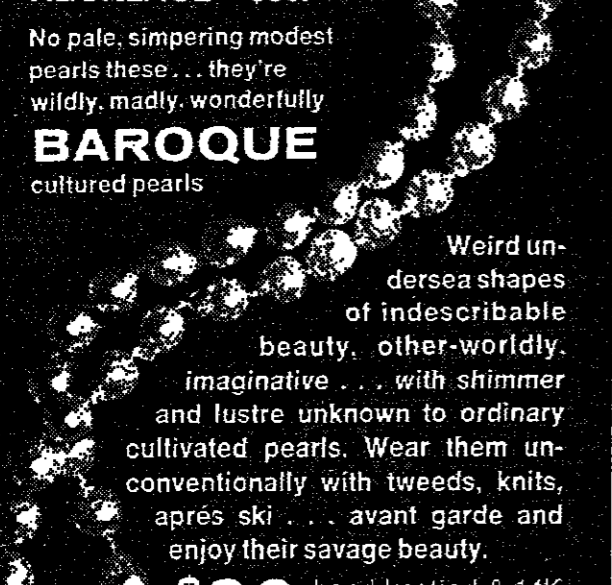
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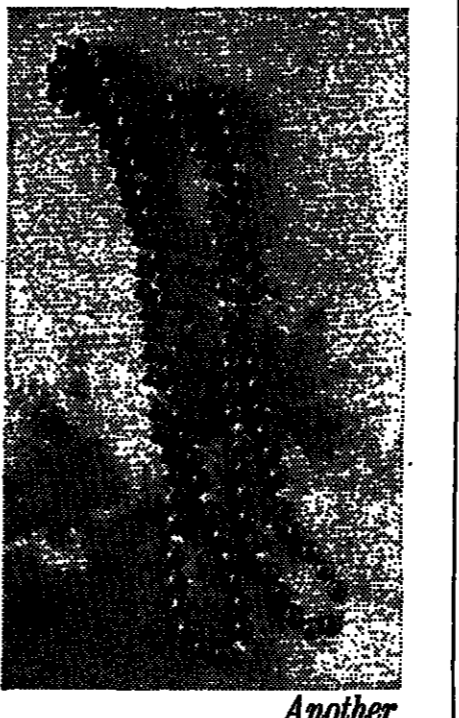
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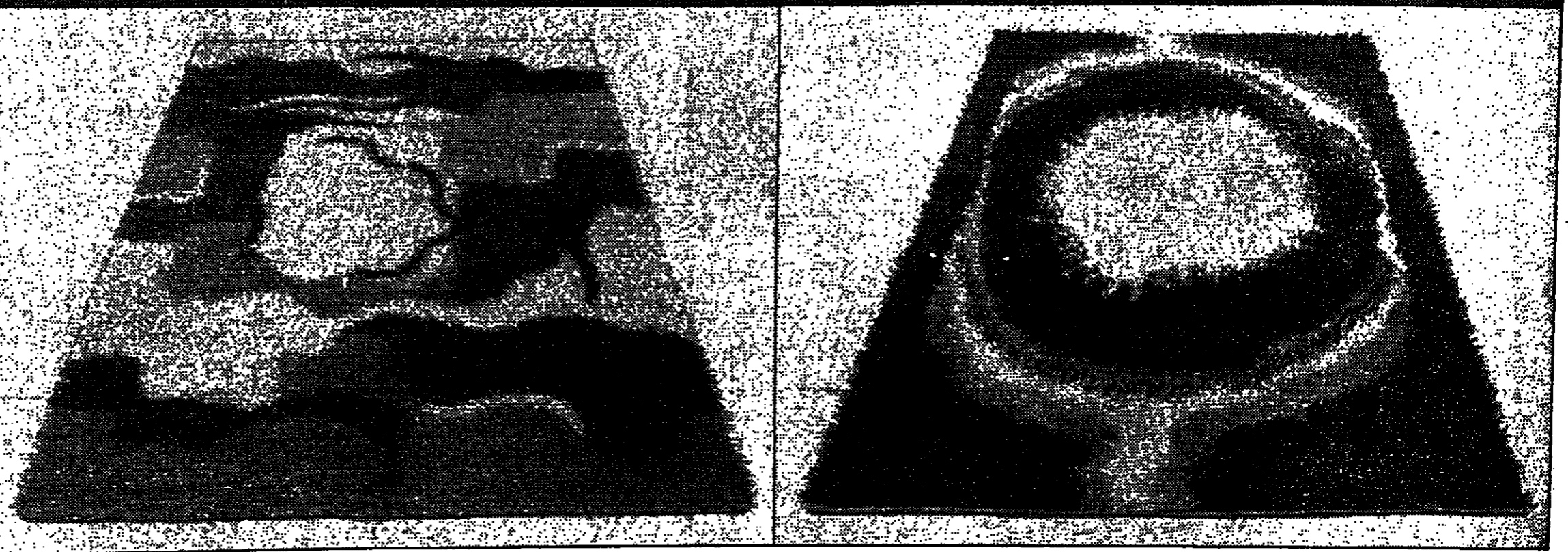
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### FRENCH SPEAK OUT AT SOVIET PARLEY

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Yesterday in France, Mr. Marchais confirmed that his differences with Moscow caused him to be the first French Communist leader to boycott a Soviet party congress.

#### A Divergent Tack

To the Kremlin's evident displeasure, Mr. Marchais has led the French party on a divergent tack that led it to scrap as obsolete the Marxist principle of dictatorship of the proletariat at the French party congress earlier this month. Mr. Marchais has upset Moscow even more by criticizing its repression of domestic dissent. Mr. Pliussomier avoided any reference to dropping the dictatorship of the proletariat in his speech today. But speaking

later to some reporters in the lobby outside the official press center, the soft-spoken, graying French party secretary said: "our delegation did not come to negotiate different points of view, we came to explain our points of view."

His speech underscored the growing independence that some European parties have inside the Kremlin walls. It was perhaps articulated most vividly yesterday by the Italian party leader, Enrico Berlinguer, who reaffirmed his party's commitment to "a pluralistic and democratic system."

Nicolae Ceausescu of Rumania and Stefan Dolanc of Yugoslavia have also spoken out at the congress for each party's right to choose its own course, though they did not endorse personal freedoms as Mr. Berlinguer and Mr. Pliussomier did. The British Communist Party leader, Gordon McClellan, is also expected to touch upon the human-rights issue when he speaks on Monday.

Such expressions of independence have detracted from the

face of Communist solidarity that Moscow has tried to present at the Congress. Perhaps more important, they have also undercut Soviet efforts to orchestrate new denunciations of China at the Congress that could be compiled to help ostracize Peking from the world Communist movement.

The rebelliousness of the Italians and French, the two largest Communist parties in Western Europe, was implicitly criticized by the Soviet leadership at the congress before Mr. Berlinguer or Mr. Pliussomier had their turn to speak.

Following the plea by the Soviet party chief, Leonid I. Brezhnev for Moscow-oriented

orthodoxy, the Ukrainian party leader, Vladimir V. Shcherbitsky, warned of compromising "revisionist influences" and the Byelorussian party leader, Pyotr N. Maherov, lashed out at "attempts to 'modernize' Marxism."

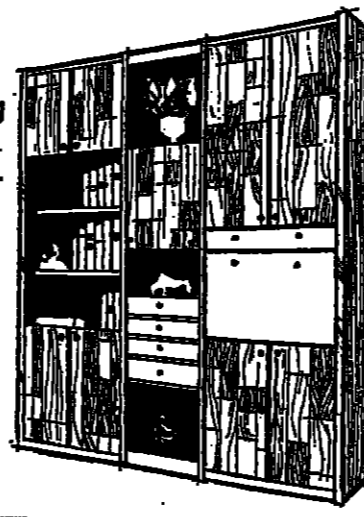
The Russians have also solicited support from other parties following the Kremlin line. Today, Mr. Brezhnev and his party secretary, Mikhail A. Suslov and Boris N. Ponomarev, met privately with Alvaro Cunhal, the pro-Moscow Portuguese Communist leader. The European backlash created by the unsuccessful Portuguese Communist bid for power is believed to have helped per-

suade the French Communists to seek power through democratic channels. The Soviet press agency Tass has reflected apparent Kremlin sensitivity about the assertions of independence by skirting controversial parts of the speeches. Today, Tass played up Mr. Pliussomier's expressions of esteem for Moscow but passed over his declaration of a French road to Communism.

Even so, Mr. Pliussomier departed less from Moscow's line than had Mr. Berlinguer yesterday. He hailed proletarian internationalism where as Mr. Berlinguer omitted it. While the Italian party leader tacitly de-

fended Italy's role in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the French secretary criticized charges were France ment attempts to back under the NA. In describing Communist course, Mr. Pliussomier said: "Naturalism, which relies on universal principles of socialism, will discontinue its characteristics specific to it will be a colors of France. way, for example, present parties into construction will with equal rights tions."

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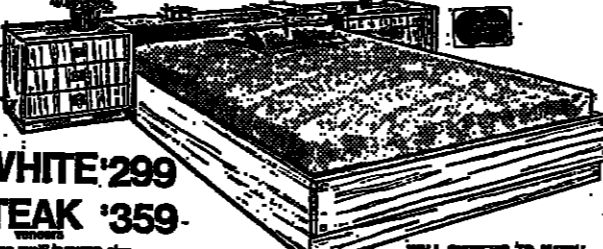
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# BRITISH OIL WORK WORRIES RUSSIANS

## viet, Fearing Restrictions North Sea, Increases Intelligence Activity

Special to The New York Times  
 LONDON, Feb. 28—The Russians are sharply increasing intelligence activities in the North Sea because they believe that their ships and submarines will "soon be severely restricted" by the British oil installations there, according to a professor at Heriot-Watt University in Scotland.

Prof. Alan Thompson, who is conducting a study into dangers and other hazards of the North Sea oil production, said Western sources yesterday as having said that the Soviet Union had become "paranoid" about the North Sea and that its intelligence-gathering vessels had gone dangerously close to the oil rigs.

He said that the Russians are convinced that these installations contained equipment to monitor their naval movements and they wanted to find its effect.

The British Defense Ministry has categorically denied there is any military equipment on the installations. Its spokesman said that such an allegation was merely a Soviet ploy for "nosing around."

Thompson confirmed the professor's statement that several Soviet ships had been "chased away" from the rigs.

**Two Years of Study**  
 Professor Thompson heads a study that has been studying the subject for more than two years. He says that the Russians are worried that their oil supply is being affected by the growing number of oil platforms.

He even suspects that "commercial divers may be used as intelligence men," he said. "They need the North Sea open access to it. They are going to be very close to it."

Thompson was interviewed after he gave a lecture in London last week to a bank conference on oil economics and defense.

Professor Thompson is professor of the economics of government at Heriot-Watt, which specializes in courses on oil economics. He is also a visiting professor of the graduate school of business at Stanford University. He is a former member of Parliament who has had a close touch with naval matters.

He says he is afraid we are going to use oil platforms as a giant refueling causeway across the North Sea to transport reinforcements "away," he said at the conference. He added that his view, Soviet and other inter-party should discuss it "before there is an incident."

Thompson's group is the Maritime Offshore Studies Study based in Scotland where the main oil activity is. It was an independent academic project. Its seminars are attended by various North Sea Sea powers," he said. Some of its reports go to the Defense Ministry and other government departments.

Thompson says that aspects of North Sea oil, the university group studying are pollution, environmental control and navigational control. With the area, specially designed for shipping may be similar to the flight for aircraft, Professor Thompson said.

**Driven Off by Frigate**  
 In an incident last year, he said, Soviet intelligence penetrated a 500-yard oil platform off the coast of England and then the installations were driven off by a naval frigate. The platform had prepared for help. The platform had prepared for collision, expecting a collision.

Thompson says that British claim a 500-yard platform and each rig as a safe area, but Professor Thompson says that the rights of and retaliation under international law in such an area are not entirely clear.

Thompson said that there had been "more dangerous incidents" with Soviet ships in the North Sea. Polish intelligence also patrol the area. "Russians really suspecting," he said. "They fish for buoys dropped by the Russians."

Thompson says that sea oil is just beginning to flow, and exploration is continuing strongly. Most of the United States oil companies have heavy investment in the North Sea. Much of the rich finds made off the coast of Scotland.

Thompson says that Britain expects to be a major oil producer in the North Sea. And by that time there will be about 80 installations in the British sector of the North Sea that is within 100 miles of the coast.

Thompson says that although the British Navy has no responsibility for the oil installations, which are commercial undertakings, five special patrol ships are now under construction to watch the area. There will also be other ships.

Thompson says that it is not a Soviet attack on the oil installations that Professor Thompson fears but a serious "incident" at sea.



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# AMERICANS LEARN HOW EUROPE TICKS

## Common Market Gives Free Trips to Promising People in Many Walks of Life

By BARBARA GAMARKEKIAN  
Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—When J. Bill Becker, president of the Arkansas state A.F.L.-C.I.O., arrived in Washington to see John Herling, the labor writer, he was greeted with apologies for an unavoidable delay. "But," he recalled, "Herling said, 'Look, I have something for you to do if you want to kill an hour—would you like to go to Europe?' and he gave me the name of a Mr. Tamayon to call."

Ten months later Mr. Becker found himself in Europe—his first time abroad—under the auspices of the European Economic Community. He visited the coal mines of Wales, went into a factory with steelworkers in Britain, attended a labor convention in Ireland, had lunch with a Member of Parliament in Britain, talked with Communists, Socialists and Liberals in Germany, Italy and Luxembourg, and lost his travelers checks in Paris.

Mr. Becker was the 12th American to go abroad under the common market's visitors program. The program is not quite as informal as Mr. Becker's experience would suggest, but it is young, still experimenting, and not steeped in the bureaucracy that weighs down most grant programs. There is not even an application form to pattern after the State Department's leader grant program, which has brought 4,500 Europeans to the United States; the European Community's program is designed to encourage young Americans in areas of public responsibility to become more aware of Europe's issues and problems, concerns often shared by this country.

The first five grant recipients were sent abroad in October 1974, and since then grants have been given to 45 more people.

Barbara Jacob, deputy director of information for the community's Washington office, explained: "We are trying to figure out who are the future potential American leaders—we want to pick them up while they are young and interested and give them the kind of experience and background that will help make them aware of what the community is doing."

They started with friends who were interested in current affairs and were community-oriented. "We knew they would have the patience to be guinea pigs," said Ingrid Rose, the Washington program director. And their search continues to be an almost word-of-mouth operation. An article about a "young Turk" labor leader, a 36-year-old high school dropout who beat the United Steelworkers Union hierarchy when he was elected director of its District 31 unit covering Chicago and Gary, Ind., brought Edward Sadlowski to their attention. Last March, Mr. Sadlowski spent five weeks studying the European labor movement.

**First Stop: Brussels**

Decisions on suggested candidates are made by a selection board in Brussels. Details of the trip are worked out with the recipient at the commission's headquarters in Brussels. Other than the stop of a few days in Brussels, they are free to visit any of the nine member countries. All travel expenses and a per diem are paid by the community.

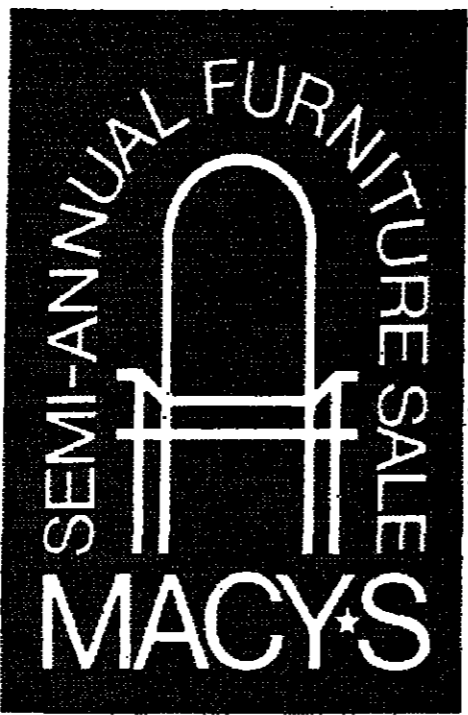
There is a great diversity among those selected: August Murray, member of the United States House of Commerce; David Murray, political correspondent for The Chicago Sun-Times; Sandra Hughes, a young television program director from North Carolina who had never left the East Coast before; John David Isaacs, legislative representative for Americans for Democratic Action; Charles Koffit, executive assistant to the mayor of Los Angeles; Charles Rose, managing editor of "Bill Moyers' International Reports," and Ralph A. Fulchino of the International Harvester Company.

The program has had its share of minor problems. One man, who got lost between appointments in Bonn, called the Brussels office to ask how to get across town. Charles Rose arrived in Hamburg, West Germany, late one night to find he had been booked into a somewhat "dubious hotel."

And Mr. Becker arrived in Turin, Italy, expecting a series of appointments with Fiat officials only to discover "they couldn't speak English and I couldn't speak Italian so they turned me over to their sales representative thinking I must be a rich American there to buy some cars."

Sandra Hughes learned of the program almost by chance. As women's program director of WPMY-TV in Greensboro, N. C., she had J. Robert Schaezel, a former United States representative at the community, as a guest on her talk show and, as casually mentioned, that she had never been abroad. Several months later Mr. Schaezel telephoned to say that he would like to nominate her as a candidate for the program.

Her trip, she said, was a time of personal growth. "I'm afraid that the trip meant a whole lot more to me than the community had planned."



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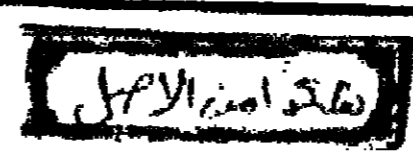
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### U.S. HELD IMPEDED ON NUCLEAR CURBS

#### Paris and Bonn Said to Hurt Effort to Halt Spread of Arms-Making Capacity

By DAVID BINDER  
Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—United States efforts to curb the worldwide spread of nuclear weapons-making capability have been impeded, principally by France and West Germany, according to Administration officials.

They said that the two European countries, which have developed considerable nuclear technology for industrial-export purposes, rejected American requests that they cease selling nuclear-fuel reprocessing plants—a facility with a potential for manufacturing material for atomic weapons—to individual countries.

The refusal was made in the conference of seven nuclear-exporting countries—the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain, France, West Germany, Canada and Japan.—that concluded in London last November, the officials said.

Instead of barring the export of such plants the conference adopted guidelines on nuclear exports, including a safeguard-control arrangement involving the International Atomic Energy Agency.

The United States, supported by Canada, had been pressing for a more stringent supplier code aimed at discouraging the transformation of export nuclear facilities into atomic munitions factories.

The Ford Administration proposed a bar on the export of nuclear-fuel reprocessing equipment to single countries and the establishment of multinational control for the reprocessing of nuclear fuel.

Broad Supervision Sought.

Other parts of the code proposed by the United States would bar nuclear customer countries from stockpiling plutonium and from making nuclear explosives. It would also seek to persuade recipients to put their entire nuclear industry under international supervision.

Although reluctant to discuss the details of the supplier conference, which has been treated officially as confidential, the American officials said it had achieved only limited agreement.

Some of the participants were so sensitive about the London conference that they refused to permit any publicity, France told the others its delegate would "walk out" if there was public disclosure.

West Germany was also hypersensitive on the nuclear-export issue, the American officials remarked. They noted that Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger had protested West Germany's proposed sale of a nuclear-fuel cycle system to Brazil in a talk with Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher last June 17.

But eight days later, at a news conference in Bonn, Chancellor Helmut Schmidt told a questioner that he had not heard "a word of criticism" from the United States about the Brazil nuclear deal.

Asked to comment on the allegations of Administration officials, a West German diplomat said it was untrue that the Bonn Government had requested tighter nuclear export controls. He added that his country had been among the first to press for general international agreements on nuclear-export guidelines.

Senator Abraham A. Ribicoff, chairman of the Government Operations Committee, which has been watching the nuclear-export business for years, said, "I don't think the French or the Germans could stand up to public opinion if all the facts were known." He said that the secrecy at the supplier conference was "ridiculous at this stage." The Ribicoff committee will hold a hearing on the nuclear issues with Mr. Kissinger on March 9.

The Ford Administration was also upset by France's effort to sell nuclear-fuel cycle equipment to South Korea and Pakistan. South Korea, under heavy pressure from the United States and Canada, finally gave up the idea last month.

But Pakistan and France have completed a deal that was authorized by the International Atomic Energy Agency earlier this week.

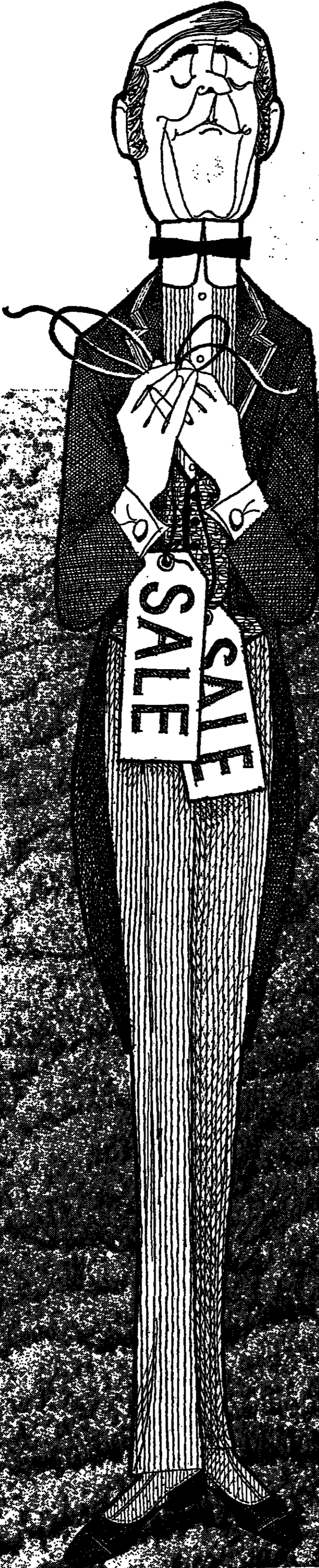
While Pakistan's Prime Minister, Ali Bhutto, has declared that his country would not use the fuel-processing facility to manufacture weapons, Washington is still opposed to it.

Last Monday, Fred C. Ikle, director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, said Pakistan's limited nuclear-reactor capacity made the fuel-reprocessing facility economically unnecessary, and that it would be useful only for making atomic weapons. Another Administration official described it as "putting a giant's head on a midget's body."

\$123 Million for Library

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (UPI)—President Ford has signed a bill raising from \$90 million to \$123 million the amount to be spent on building the new Madison branch of the Library of Congress, a White House statement said Friday. The project was initially authorized in 1965. It was expected then to cost no more than \$75 million.

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# Danes Argue Over Government Order to Raze 'Free City,' an Alleged Haunt of Criminals and Addicts

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Feb. 28 (AP) — The Danish Government is preparing to evict 800 to 700 men, women and children from a self-proclaimed "free city" in the heart of Copenhagen.

For more than four years the area of Christiania, named after the surrounding 17th-century district of Christianshavn, has been tolerated as a virtual state within the state, leading its own perplexing life in an abandoned 45-acre army

complex protected by a moat and ramparts.

The enclave briefly had Government acceptance as a "social experiment," a search for an alternative way of life and a last refuge for those the Danish welfare state could not help. The National Museum, in a recent booklet, ranked the enclave as a worthy object of study for anthropologists, historians and anyone interested in human behavior.

To other Danes, however, it represented the illegal occupa-

tion of public property, a sanctuary for lawlessness and drugs, and a haven for anarchists and subversives.

Now Parliament has ordered that the enclave must be cleared out by April 1. Then bulldozers are scheduled to begin knocking down all but a few of its 190 buildings. But a "Save Christiania" campaign has been launched and it is being supported by an array of the nation's leading intellectuals and most big newspapers.

The community came into being in the fall of 1971, when

youthful squatters moved into the barracks three months after the army had moved out. The squatters announced their intention to create a large, classless, urban commune that rejected what they described as waste and impersonal welfare. But Christiania has not become the utopia its founders talked about, but a kind of live-and-let-live anarchy with a measure of order.

Some residents share a room with a horse, and various mystic sects thrive. Some residents join collective activities while

others just mind their own business.

Cars are banned. Nearly everyone lives on a low level of consumption. Nearly everything is second-hand. The general store will sell a teaspoonful of sugar; cafeterias offer health food; cakes come with or without hashish baked in.

An old garage has been turned into a flea market and furniture repair shop dedicated to the rehabilitation of drug addicts. A riding academy has become one of Copenhagen's most successful theaters, spe-

cializing in anticapitalist satire. A former powder plant is now a blacksmith's shop with a brisk side business turning old oil drums into stoves.

It is also an area in which the well-off, who hold outside jobs and pay income tax, live in snug, even elegant comfort in spacious houses or attached apartments refurbished at great expense. Others live in dirty, unheated barracks rooms of the isolation of outlying win-

dowless bankers on the ramparts.

According to the best available estimates, nearly a third of the residents are on relief, and about 100 of them—including runaway minors, former convicts, drug addicts and mental cases—are officially classified as total dropouts. Another third are foreigners, mostly Scandinavians, and many of them drug addicts and most with no easily identifiable sources of income.

The only established authority is a so-called plenary meeting open to anyone, including outsiders. Only a fraction of the residents bother to attend the

meetings and their real means of enforcement decisions.

"Our laws are administered only by those who want them," explained Hans Lund, co-founder of Christiania, refusing to be governed by a self-styled assembly. "Others do as they please, but it makes this free city."

Less than one year ago, a poll indicated that 60 percent of all Danes wanted the residents bother to attend the city demolished.

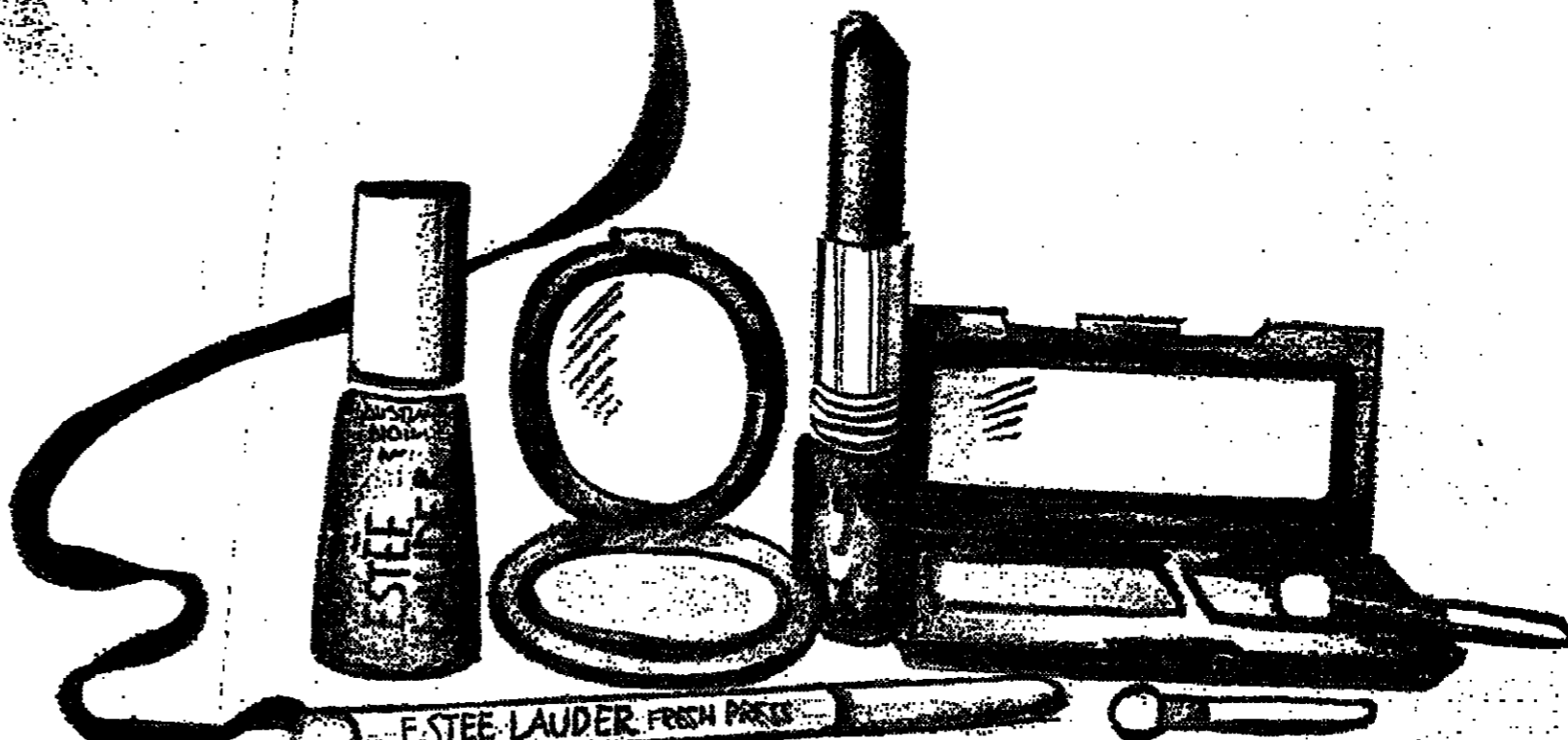


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**Road Reform Proposals  
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**Special to The New York Times**  
OTTAWA, Feb. 28—An intensive national debate has begun in Canada over sweeping reforms of the criminal code proposed by the Government.

Amendments to the code, if adopted by Parliament, would abolish capital punishment, but would delay parole procedures for murderers until they have served from 15 to 25 years.

Other provisions would enact strict gun controls, and loosen present restrictions on the use of electronic surveillance by the police through wiretapping or bugging.

The new law would allow courts to impose an indeterminate sentence on rapists, sexual criminals and persons with a history of sex offenses.

Imprisonment would be limited only on the recommendation of the National Parole Board, which would be required to review such sentences after three years, and in every two years.

Offenders with a history of violent crime would not be eligible for parole until they served half their sentence, seven years, whichever was longer.

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Because all of these areas of control have been subject to intensive and widespread controversy, here, a bill has begun in Parliament to delay the legislative proceedings on the measures, introduced last Tuesday, for a lengthy period during which an opinion can be heard.

Numerous citizen groups and organizations of law enforcement officers, concerned over a series of lurid killings, have been carrying on a campaign for many months to try to force the Government to carry out death sentences for murderers.

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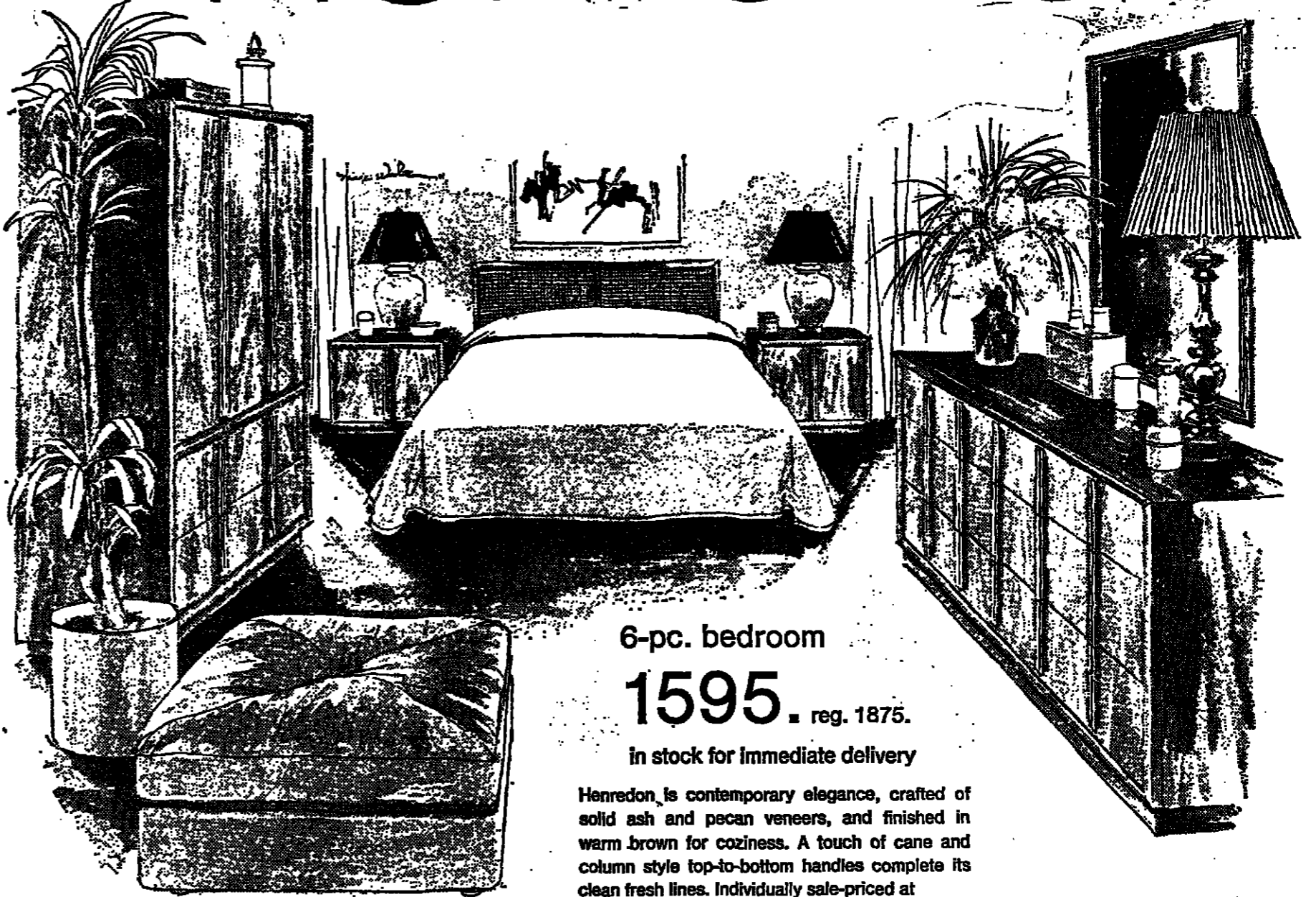
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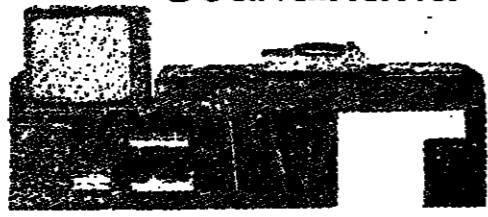


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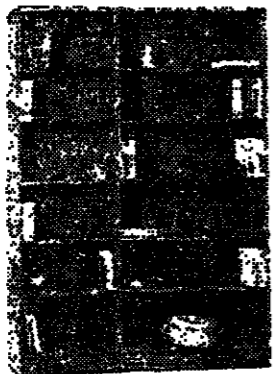
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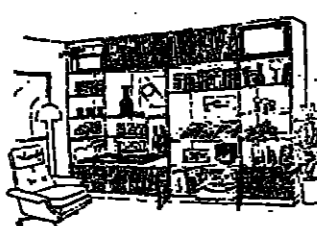
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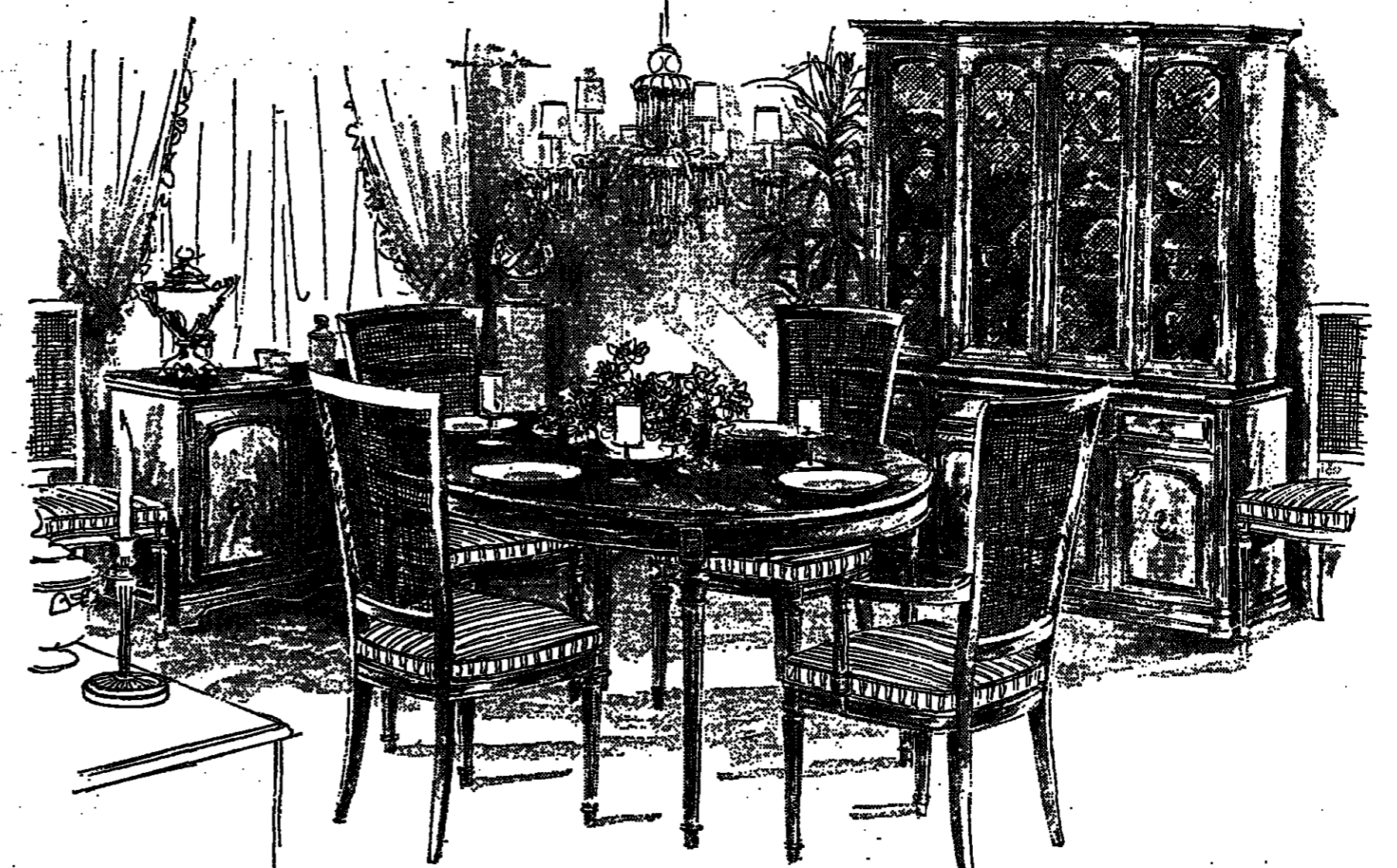
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## POLITICS ALLEGED IN TEACHER STRIKE

### 6-Week Walkout Has Split Eastchester Residents

Special to The New York Times  
EASTCHESTER, Feb. 28—A six-week teachers' strike that has divided this Westchester County suburb had political as well as financial origins, a teachers' representative said today.

John Dougan, a spokesman for the Eastchester Teachers Association, said, "We understand the taxpayers' concern for rising costs, but the fact that school-board members ran on a platform of zero increase for teachers last year exacerbated the situation."

The school board's position until the Jan. 20 strike began was that there be no wage increase for the first year and that provisions dealing with classroom size, teacher aides and substitutes be renegotiated.

**2d Bargaining Session**  
The board has since offered an average 3 percent wage rise the first year and 6 percent in each of the next two years. The teachers are calling for 6 percent the first year and 8 percent in the succeeding years. The other issues also remain unresolved.

Negotiators were preparing,

meanwhile, for a meeting tomorrow on "neutral ground," a New Rochelle hotel, under the guidance of an official of the Public Employment Relations Board of Albany.

It will be the second such bargaining session since a boisterous Thursday night open meeting marked by demands from parents that the lingering dispute be settled. A majority of those who spoke also argued that they could no longer afford higher taxes.

Board members at the meeting described what they said was a declining tax base and rising costs in the community. Teachers there said Eastchester ranked 10th in property values of 44 Westchester communities, calculated on a per-pupil basis, while standing 35th in school taxes.

A teachers' representative said at the time that if Eastchester wanted quality education it should and could pay for it, while the board and many residents said they had been paying for it but could do so no longer.

**Rejection Explained**  
Raymond Pace, a junior-high-school teacher and negotiator, said: "A fact finder came in and said we should get a 7.7 percent increase, but the board rejected it. We are ready to go to binding arbitration."

Board members have explained their rejection of binding arbitration, however, on the basis of the 7.7 percent recom-

mended increase which they said was unrealistic and beyond the community's ability to pay.

Residents, meanwhile, have expressed growing frustration over what one father said was the "casual" pace of negotiations. "They meet irregularly and, even with lawyers and super-negotiators from Albany, get nowhere. In the meantime, the schools remain open but there is no education."

According to Mr. Pace, 158 of the 200 teachers are on strike, with some substitutes and parents filling in mostly on the elementary-school level. "In the secondary schools, the kids

sign in and then go home or out somewhere," he said.

Mr. Pace estimated that the average schoolteacher who earned between \$18,000 and \$19,000 had already lost \$4,500 in pay and anticipated fines. The strike is illegal under the state's Taylor Law.

**Publisher Named in Florida**  
LAKELAND, Fla., Feb. 27 (AP)—Eugene M. Wells, publisher of The Sebring News since 1972, has been named publisher of The Ledger in Lakeland, officials of The New York Times Affiliated Newspaper Group have announced.

Mr. Wells replaces William M. Nicholson, who resigned.

**Nixon Opponent in '46 Race Named to California Panel**  
SACRAMENTO, Calif., Feb. 28 (AP)—Jerry Voorhis a former congressman who was Richard M. Nixon's first opponent for political office, was appointed to the California Commission on Aging yesterday by Gov. Edmund Brown Jr.

Mr. Voorhis, 74 years old, was the Democratic Representative for the suburbs south and east of Los Angeles in 1946

when Mr. Nixon ran for Congress.

Nixon campaign said that a vote against a "minutist-dominated" apparent referendum on industrialization's political activities, which ended Voorhis and many Democrats that year. Mr. Voorhis has worked for the League of the United Nations organization of and farm cooperatives.

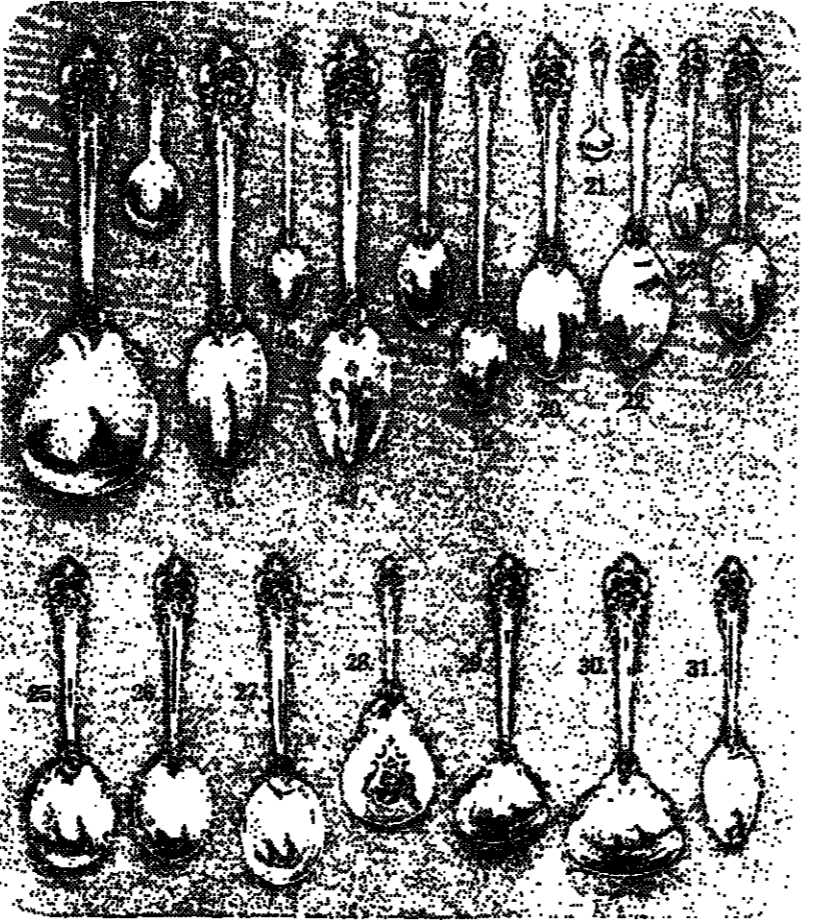
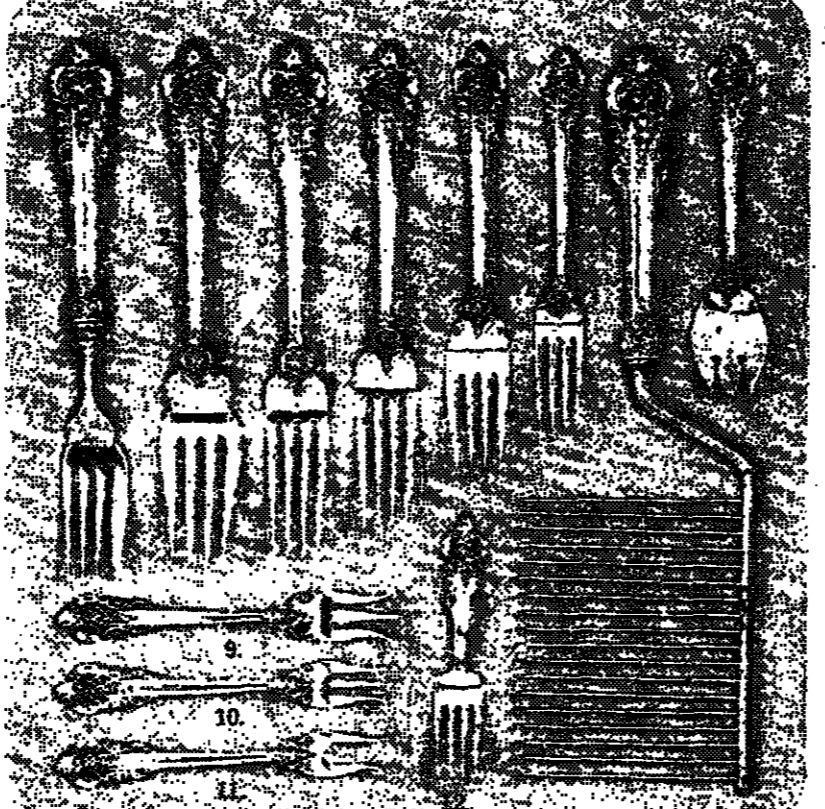
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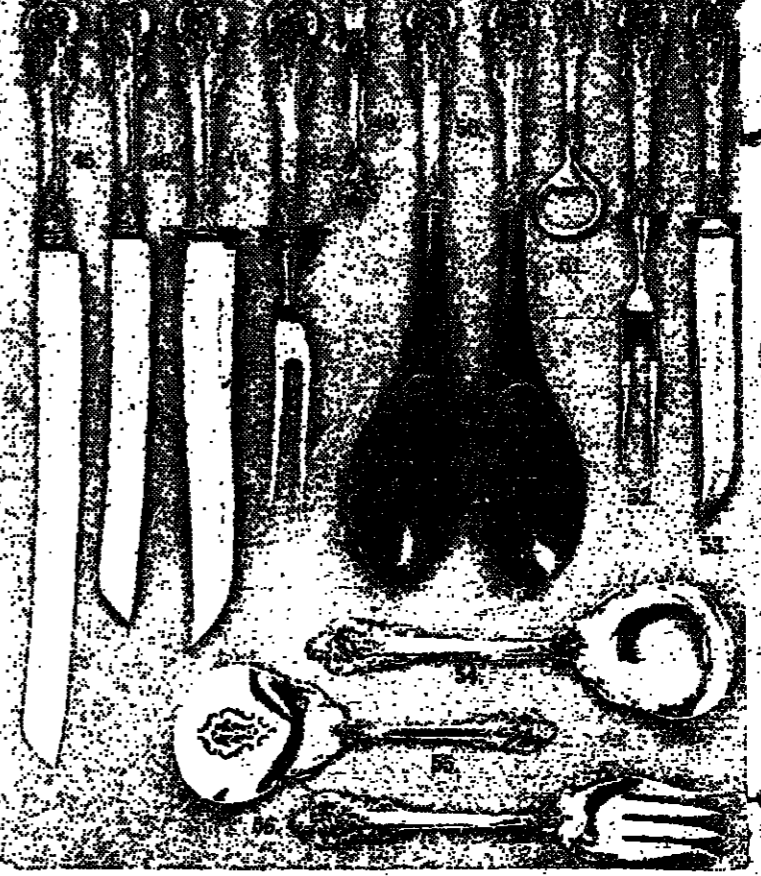
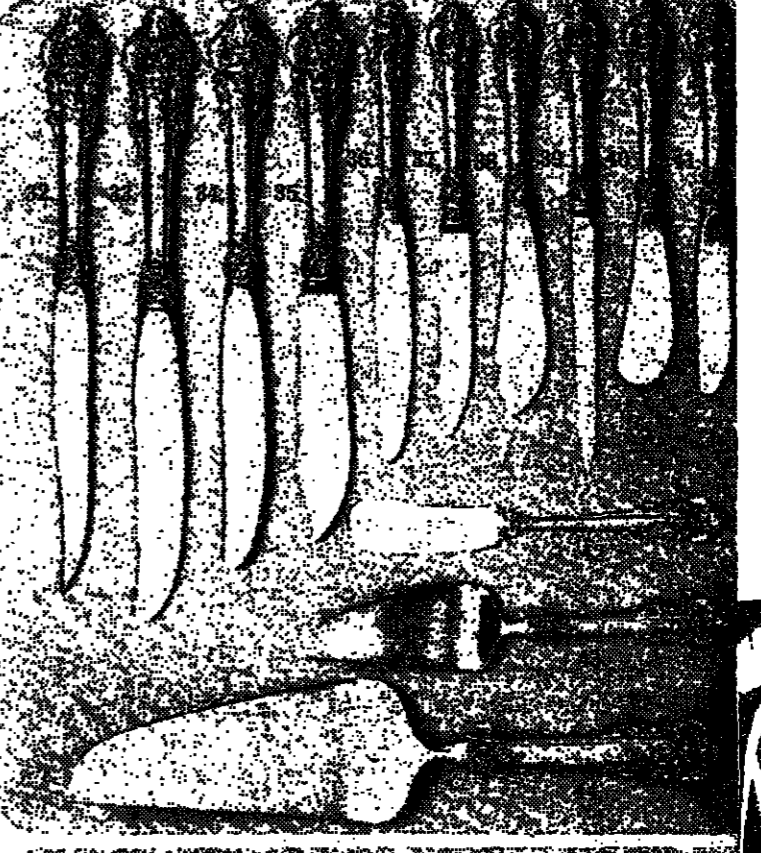
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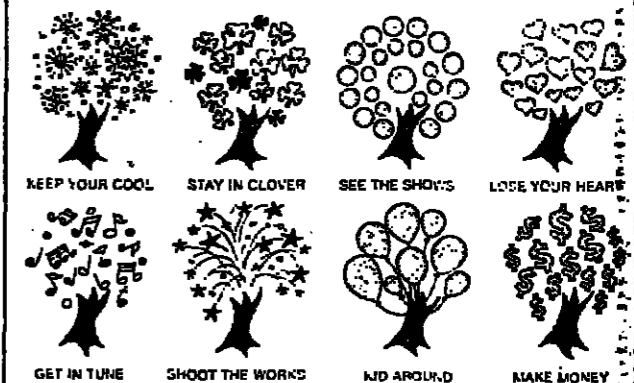
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# Worst Drought in 20 Years Is Endangering Wheat Crop in the Old Dust Bowl

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 least do something to hold the  
 land down. We'll lose a lot  
 of wheat around here, but we  
 aren't about to be dusted out.  
 This is marginal land, and we  
 this year, will provide  
 sometimes lose two out of three  
 crops we plant. If it'll just  
 rain a little at the right time,  
 we'll have something this year."  
 Concannon, a powerfully  
 man with an easy smile, the  
 his tractor to talk. He  
 had spent most out of 579,000  
 life in the Garden City  
 and that he could easily  
 the dust bowl days of  
 went through the Dirty  
 and was around for  
 fifty Fifties," he said.  
 know, you can't compare  
 with then. We're desper-  
 rain now, but the wind'll  
 is nothing compared.  
 certainly won't produce much  
 a crop. If it turns cold and  
 starts to blow hard, like it  
 usually does in March, there'll  
 be even more damage."

already gone. If it doesn't rain  
 soon, another 20 percent will  
 go, and we'll be looking at  
 yields half as large as we got  
 last summer."  
 In the normally productive  
 northwestern section of Okla-  
 homa, there has been no rain  
 since last fall, and the wheat  
 loss. According to the Okla-  
 homa Crop Marketing Service,  
 was exceeding 30 percent ear-  
 lier this winter.  
 In the richer areas west of  
 Enid, the wheat is now under  
 severe drought stress, although  
 here again a little rain would  
 revive a lot of it.  
 Most Fields Affected  
 All along the 150-mile drive  
 from Garden City to the Hutch-  
 inson area in Central Kansas,  
 there were signs of spotty dam-  
 age in almost every field.  
 In some fields, the wheat had  
 been planted in ground that  
 was too dry, and part of it  
 did not come up. In others,  
 the plants were turning a dull  
 brown and withering.  
 Near Abbeville west of  
 Hutchinson, Kenneth Crow and  
 Charles Fesler were squatt  
 among the stunted wheat  
 plants, digging out engorged  
 cutworms.  
 "This is the strangest season  
 of our wheat," he said. "But  
 we've seen around here in  
 years," Mr. Crow said. "It's  
 never been this hot before, and

we've never had cutworms be-  
 fore May or June. There's hard-  
 ly a field around here without  
 some damage, either from the  
 drought or the bugs."  
 But in this normally rich  
 area of Central Kansas, the  
 wheat that did germinate has  
 a fair start, and in the eastern  
 third of the state, much of  
 it is in good condition.  
 "If it doesn't rain a bit more,  
 and if it doesn't stay hot too  
 long, we could get maybe a  
 third of our normal yield," Mr.  
 Fesler said. "But if we could  
 get an inch now and another  
 in May, we'd see a pretty fair  
 yield."  
 Assuming the worst, wheat  
 prices would certainly rise  
 quickly above \$4 a bushel. But  
 in today's loaf of bread, there  
 is only 7 cents worth of wheat,  
 and wheat prices could go far  
 higher than \$4 without causing  
 a burdensome rise in bread  
 prices.  
 With the "carryover" from  
 the 1975 crop now expected  
 to be 400 million to 500 million  
 bushels (almost a year's domes-  
 tic supply), there should be  
 enough wheat, even if the 1976  
 crop is reduced drastically, to  
 fill American needs and to con-  
 tinue exporting.  
 A continued drought would  
 mean a much smaller total  
 America crop and higher export  
 prices, which would mean a



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By PETER B. FLINT  
A convicted robber who successfully resisted prosecution efforts to have a bullet removed from his chest as key evidence in the 1974 murder of Police Lieut. Henry O. Schmiemann has been found guilty of the slaying.

John Smith, 28 years old, who is serving a sentence of 7 to 20 years for robbing a woman, was convicted of five charges, including two murder counts, late Friday night by a jury of eight men and four women in Supreme Court in Queens. He now faces a maximum sentence of life in prison.

The Queens District Attorney, Nicholas Ferraro, maintained that the bullet in the prisoner's chest came from the revolver of the 45-year-old lieutenant, who fired one shot at a holdup man before he died of gunshot wounds of the head. The lieutenant, in civilian clothes, had been walking from his home in Middle Village, Queens, to work on June 20, 1974.

**Bullet Sought as Evidence**  
Less than two hours later, the wounded man was traced by the police to Wyckoff Heights Hospital. He refused to undergo surgery, but the District Attorney insisted that surgeons operate so the bullet could be obtained as evidence.

After a long legal battle, the prosecutor's request was denied by Justice Thomas S. Agresta of the State Supreme Court, who had allowed a police surgeon to examine the suspect.

In a seven-page opinion issued Dec. 12, 1974, Justice Agresta ruled that the bullet could not be removed because the surgery would constitute an unreasonable search and seizure and possibly endanger the suspect's life.

Noting the police surgeon's conclusion that removal of the bullet would require an incision of at least six inches, the justice said that "the use of the surgical knife to the extent indicated in this case is offensive to the sense of fair play and decency and the American way of life."

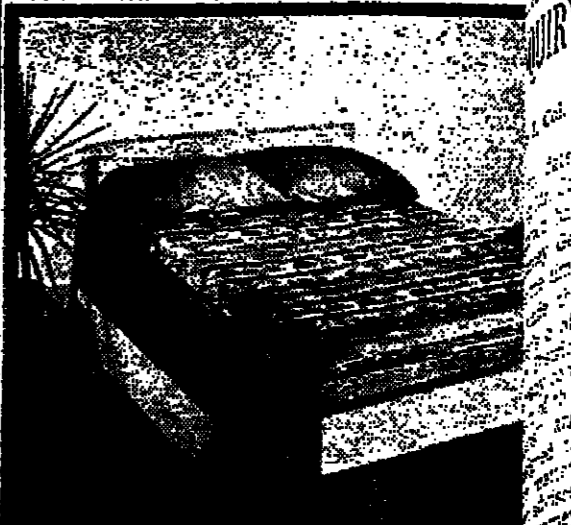
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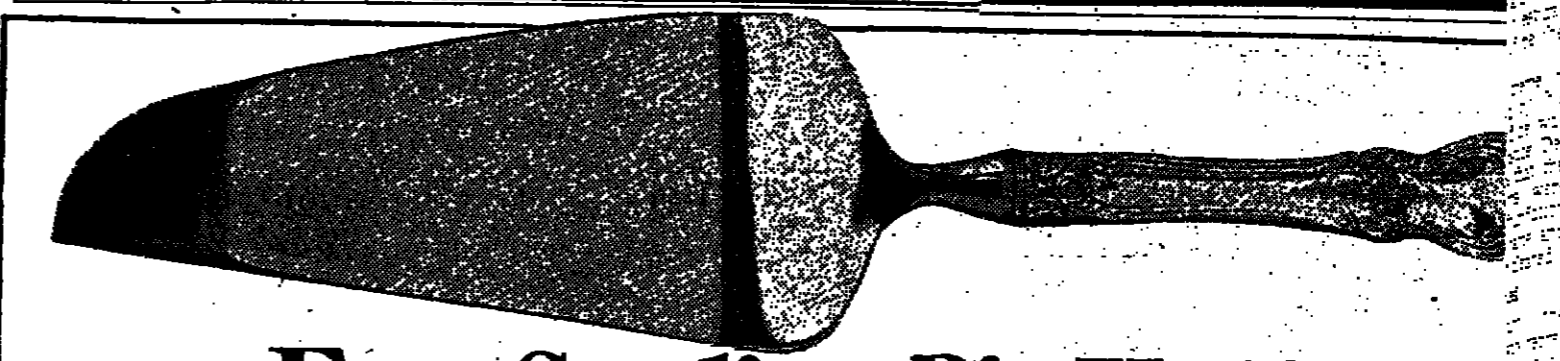
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### LEVI IS CLEARED OVER U.S. INQUIRY

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Mr. Levi's letter, dated Wednesday, telling Mr. Carey the investigation had closed, the Attorney General recalled that at the time the guest was a made the States Attorney's office of the Southern District of New York "was already conducting an investigation of this matter" and that it was assigned to handle the entire matter. He recently been advised by the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York that an investigation conducted by the office had uncovered no credible evidence to substantiate the allegations against you," Mr. Carey wrote.

**Difficult Time**  
In a reply dated last Friday, Mr. Carey told the Attorney General that he was gratified by the investigation of the "related" allegations which had been conducted.

Mr. Carey appreciated the willingness of the office to undertake the investigation and the thoroughness with which it was conducted. He stated that the matter is finally laid to rest, and he said that this was a difficult time for him and myself. But as never any doubt in my mind that the legal system of this country could and would get to the truth and that justice your investigations reached would be the same theme in the statement released by his office. Mr. Carey said he was that the Justice Department had "found that the allegations were unfounded and that my name and mine have been cleared."

**Licenses Issued**  
F. Callifano, the State Attorney General, said yesterday that Mr. Levi received the license Friday afternoon and then told Mr. Levi's office that Mr. Carey intended the exchange public, "related allegations" by Mr. Levi referred to a grand investigation of alleged grand larceny by oil companies. Mr. Carey is believed to be running the export transactions in the allegations the Governor involved in the licenses issued to the oilman by the State Department during the 1974 Arab oil embargo. The oilman sold the crude oil to the refinery operated by Edward Carey, who then sold the heavy oil to New York State for resale to electric utilities.

**SENATOR CRITICIZES  
U.S. POLICY IN U.N.**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (UPI) — Edward M. Kennedy urged that a State Department plan to win support for the United States in the United States in a way "in clear violation of our own directives." Mr. Kennedy, the senior Senator from Massachusetts, called for linking American aid to the United States for the United States and Nations voting. He said Congress had stated its opposition to an assistance program of coercion and political interference.

Mr. Kennedy wrote to the State Department about a new task force to study the bureau of international organizations that the State Department description, was meant to be clear, detailed and timely, understanding the situation. Mr. Kennedy said in the office of the State Department: "We'll be countries involved as that the issues are clear, and that we'll be their votes very carefully will make them understand that their U.N. votes of the total relationship with us, which also includes some cases, military and economic assistance from the United States." The State Department response Mr. Kennedy said: "It is not clear that such decisions about humanitarian aid in circumstances now fore-

**Center Planned**  
Raleigh, N.C., Feb. 27 (AP) — A new center for the study of the many governments and private research was named Friday as the headquarters for the National Humanities Center. The center will promote the study of the humanities in America. The American Academy of Arts and Sciences announced.

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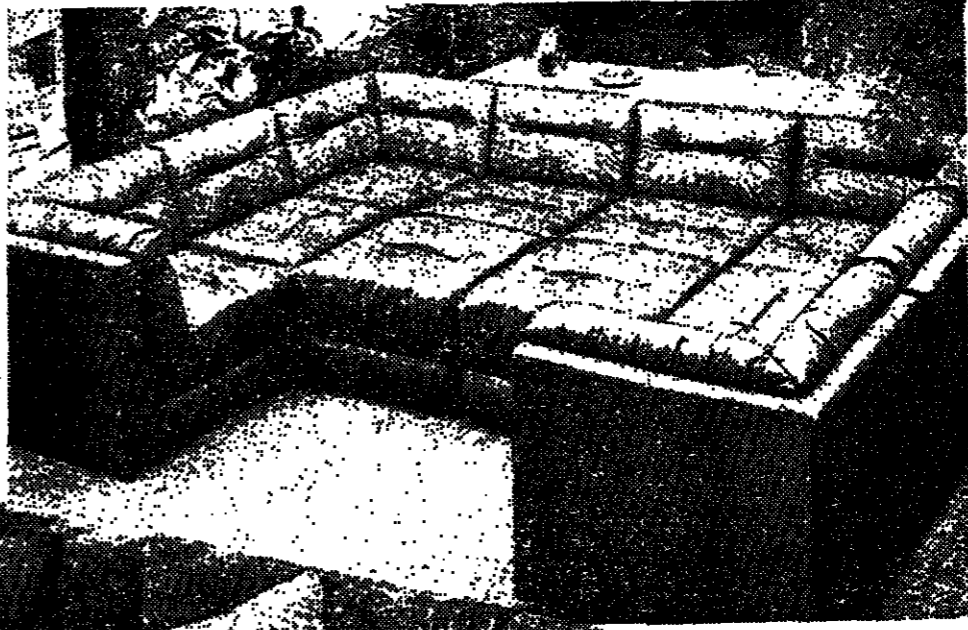
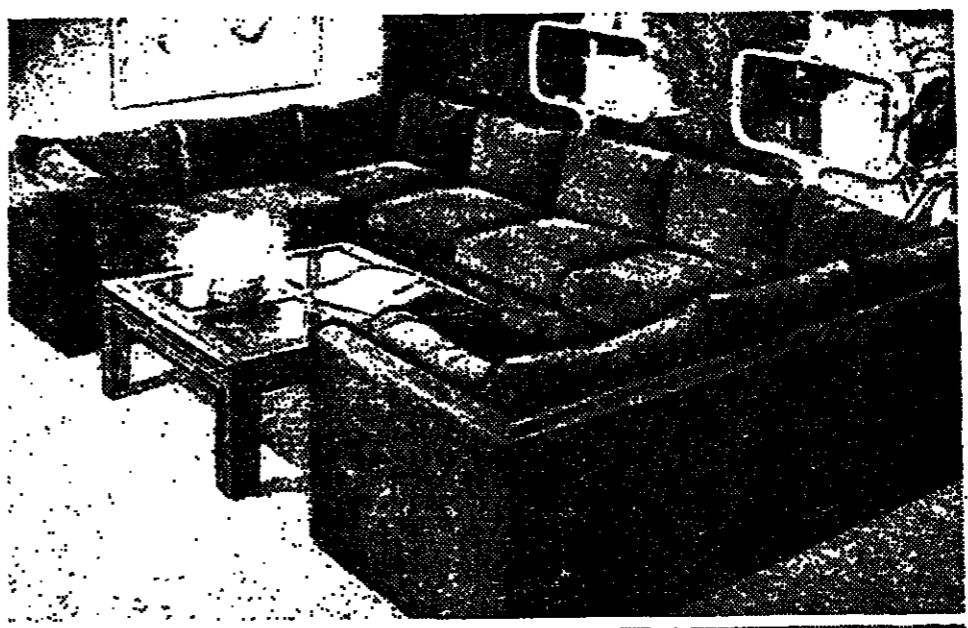
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GLADWIN HILL... ANGELES, Feb. 28—Have the money, but the people... did a spokesman for power critics in California...

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Inquiry on Fire at Biggest Nuclear Plant Finds Prevention Program 'Was Essentially Zero'

By DAVID BURNEAM Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—An official investigation of a major fire in the world's largest nuclear power plant has concluded that at the time the plant was built the Government's program to prevent and control such fires "was essentially zero."

The report further charged that key parts of the Tennessee Valley Authority's two reactors in Browns Ferry, Ala., were badly designed, inadequately tested and not built according to plan even though the Government had overall supervisory authority.

A confidential memorandum written more than six months ago by the head of the Browns Ferry investigation said the fire had raised "embarrassing questions" about the safety of reactors throughout the United States.

The fire began last March 22 when an electrician named Larry Hargett held a small lighted candle near some insulation to see whether air was leaking into an area under the reactor control room. The insulation caught fire and the blaze spread.

By the time the damage is repaired and the two big reactors are placed back in operation this spring, the accident is expected to cost T.V.A.'s customers about \$150 million. In addition to reporting the failure of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to develop a fire prevention and control program before the accident, the commission's investigating team said inspectors at 23 operating plants had disclosed deficiencies in the fire barriers at an unspecified number of the nation's reactors.

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Concerning the reactors at Browns Ferry, it said the investigation "has revealed lapses in quality assurance in design, construction and operation."

Quality assurance or QA programs is an elaborate technique developed primarily by the old Atomic Energy Commission in which the agency's inspectors watch over the inspectors whom the Government requires the utilities, reactor vendors and architect engineers to hire.

The report listed some conditions that could have been prevented, revealed and rectified if the quality assurance program had worked properly.

"Inadequate Testing" The design of fire seals was inadequate because it was based on inadequate testing," it said. "The construction of some of the fire seals was not completed in accordance with the design. Some openings between the control room and the cable spreading room were not sealed at all. The occur-

rence of several small fires did not elicit improved precautions."

In a confidential memorandum written last July, Dr. Hanauer commented on the implications of the poor quality assurance programs after a meeting with investigators from the Nuclear Energy Liability and Property Insurance Association who had been studying the Browns Ferry reactors.

"The Browns Ferry operating QA program is the least adequate of any known by these N.E.L.P.I.A. people," Dr. Hanauer wrote about the industry insurance investigators.

"They asked very embarrassing questions about how units 1 & 2 had operating licenses without acceptable QA programs. Lacking it [adequate programs] explains their wondering what else is not built in accordance with the design."

Unanswered Questions Daniel Ford, the director of the Union of concerned scientists, an organization opposed to present nuclear policies, has

made an independent analysis of the Browns Ferry fire. Asked for comment, Mr. Ford said: "The report diagnoses certain problems. But it fails to address, much less to answer, the implications of these problems regarding the continued operating of the 55 other nuclear plants in the United States."

The report urged a general improvement in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's programs to detect and prevent fires in existing nuclear plants through such devices as more and improved smoke detectors and sprinklers. It also called for improved design in future reactors so that a single fire would not result in the loss of control over many of the safety systems, as happened at Browns Ferry.

But it concluded that it would be too costly to require major changes in the way the critical control cables lead from safety systems to the control room.

In an appendix to the report, the committee said the T.V.A. had estimated that such major structural changes would cost

\$100 million to \$300 million, while an additional \$500 million to \$1.3 billion would be needed to buy coal to replace the electricity that would be lost during construction time.

Sicilian Children Visit Rome in Protest Over Quake Relief

ROME, Feb. 28 (Reuters)—Eight years after an earthquake destroyed their village, 60 Sicilian schoolchildren came to Rome this week to protest because the money allotted by the Italian Government for reconstruction never arrived.

The children, led by their parish priest, came from Sant'Anna, a small village hit by earthquakes that devastated western Sicily and killed 500 people in January 1968. They met President Giovanni Leone and Prime Minister Aldo Moro to publicize the Sicilians' protests that \$12.3 million set aside by the Government to rebuild the stricken areas never reached the villages, and planned reconstruction work never took place. The Communist Party has

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### LEVITT QUESTIONS STIPEND TO MOSES

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supervised the expansion of the city's parks and playgrounds. Mr. Levitt said the authority "informed us that Mr. Moses has continued to render substantial public service since his retirement."

"However, the vouchers submitted in his behalf did not detail the services rendered. We recommend that the billings more fully describe the nature of the services rendered, and that the authority periodically relate the value of these services to the total compensation."

#### Cost Is Defended

In an answer filed with the Comptroller, the authority said, in part:

"Upon his formal retirement, it was a great benefit to the authority and the metropolitan area to be able to arrange a consulting contract so that he could continue to serve the public in the field of public construction and planning, not only for the authority but for state and local governments generally. This he has done. We do not think that the value of that service is outweighed by its costs incurred in its performance."

"Mr. Moses's work, as can be readily appreciated, covers a wide range of construction and planning activities for the authority and an enormous amount of consultation and correspondence locally and throughout the state, much of it at the request of the Govern-



Robert Moses

nor and other state officials, and some of it at the instance of Federal officials.

"In the nature of this work, broad 'housekeeping' help and readily available transportation must be afforded him. It is unfair to measure these activities, which benefit millions of people, by the sum of the salaries of the secretarial, stenographic and chauffeur help made available to Mr. Moses."

Mr. Moses lost his job as chairman of the bridge and tunnel authority on March 1, 1968, when the agency was taken over by the Metropolitan Transportation Authority. But Dr. William J. Ronan, chairman of the M.T.A., announced immediately that Mr. Moses would be kept on as a \$25,000-a-year consultant.

#### Salary Raised in '69

The contract stipulated that Mr. Moses was to be paid that salary "plus reimbursement for out-of-pocket expenses incurred in performance of his services."

The agreement stated that he was to serve as a special consultant to supervise the bridge and tunnel authority's construction program and also advise the M.T.A. chairman on transportation plans and construction.

Mr. Levitt said that in an amendment to the contract, dated Jan. 24, 1969, Mr. Moses's salary had been increased to \$35,000 a year. He said that the amendment took the form of a letter from the authority's executive officer and chief, but that the letter "gave no indication that it was being written to confirm an agreement authorized by the authority's board." Mr. Moses submits monthly bills to the authority.

Mr. Moses had once held as many as nine public positions at the same time in various fields. He had been chairman of the Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority from 1934 until it was taken over by the M.T.A. The authority operates nine bridge crossings in the city, the Battery Parking Garage, East Side Airlines Terminal and the New York Coliseum.

### Philadelphia Archdiocese Raising High School Fees

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28 (UPI)—The Philadelphia Archdiocese has announced that it would raise tuition next September for students attending its 30 Roman Catholic high schools, but that that would still leave an anticipated operational deficit of nearly \$1 million.

A family with one student will pay \$500, up from \$400, and a family with more than one will pay \$950, up from \$750.

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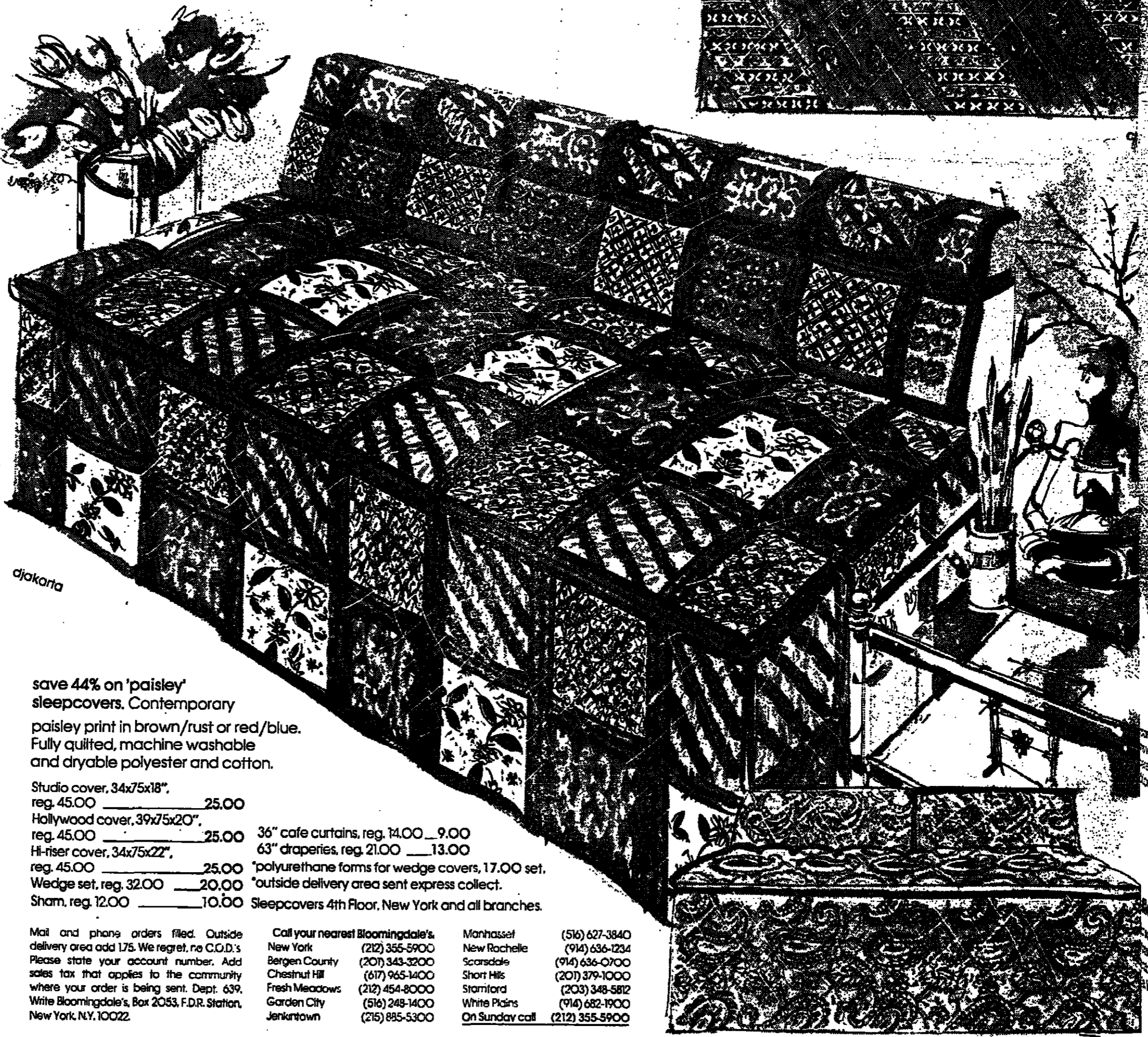
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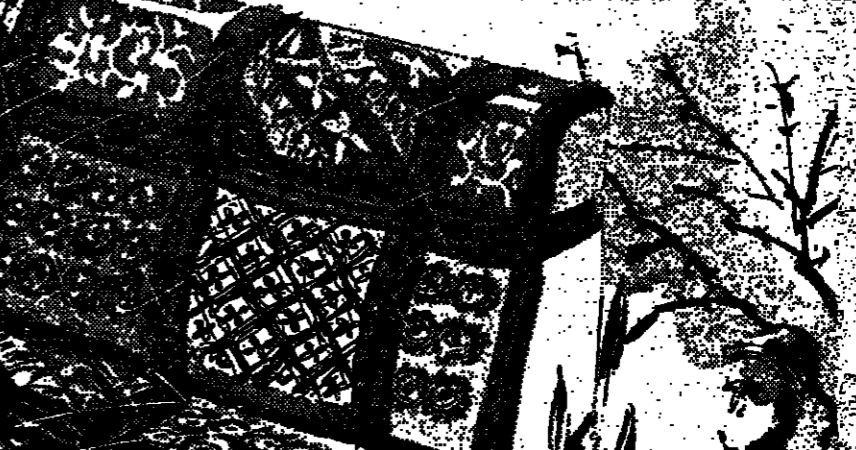
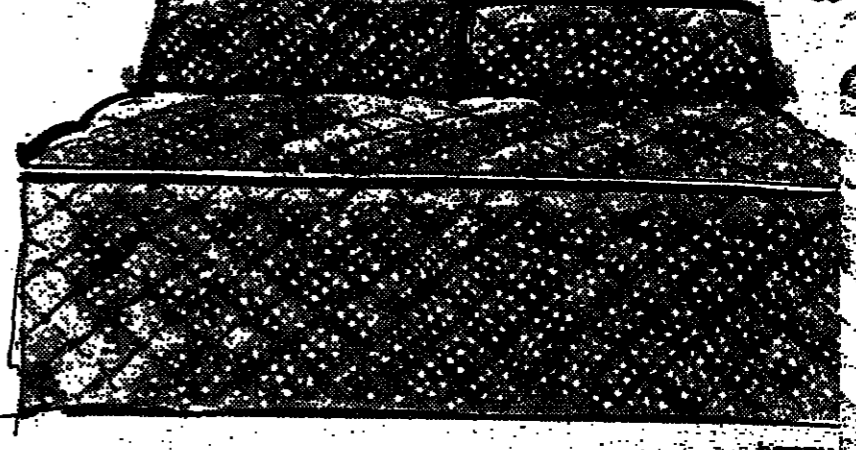
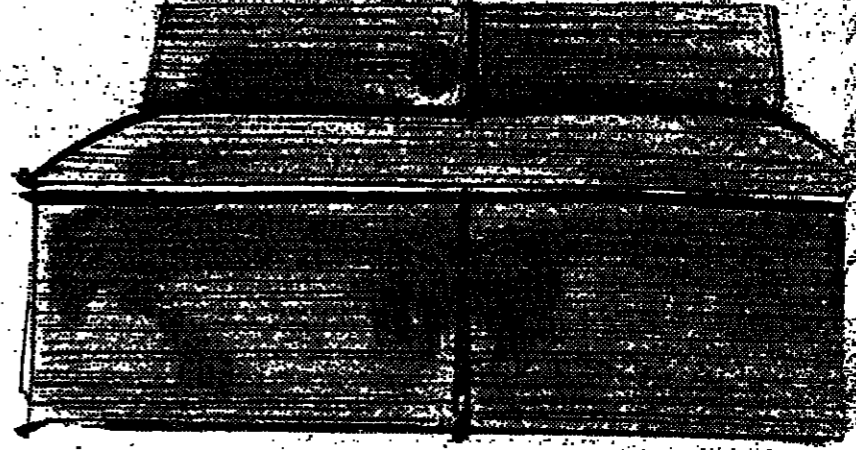
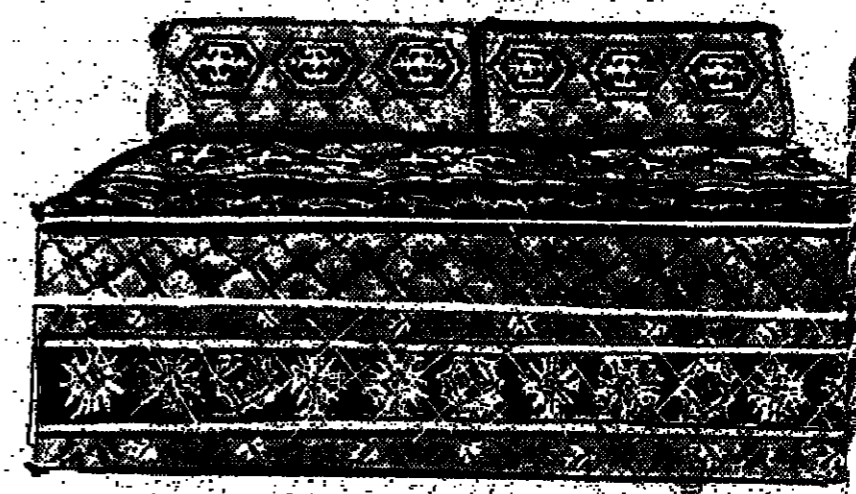
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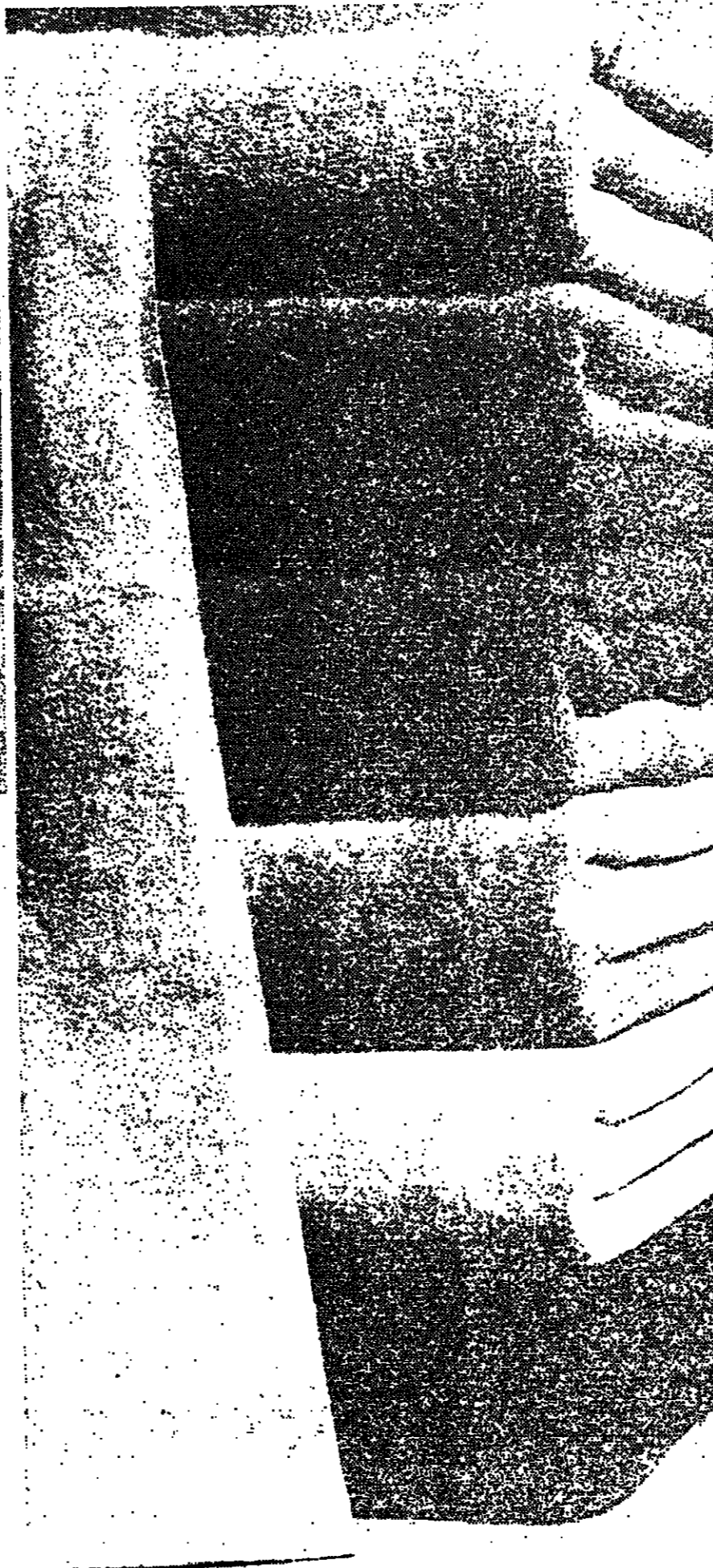
Twin, reg. 32.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **25.00**  
 Double, reg. 40.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **32.00**  
 Queen/King, reg. 65.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **50.00**

**for an ensemble look "sutton place" dust ruffles and pillow shams at great savings**

Our solid color dust ruffles and pillow shams to coordinate with prints or match with solids. All of no-iron Kodex® polyester and combed cotton broadcloth...and machine washable and dryable. In seven great colors: blue bonnet, gypsy red, brown, sunburst yellow, pastel blue, ricepaper or white.

Dust ruffle:  
 Twin, reg. 20.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **16.00**  
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 Queen, reg. 29.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **25.00**  
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 Ruffled pillow shams:  
 Standard/Queen, reg. 13.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **11.00**  
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Comforters and Accessories, 7th Floor, New York and all stores.



**save on these no-iron percale irregulars designed by angelo donghia for j.p. stevens**

**2 for 7.95** Twin flat, if perf. 8.95 each.

Serape-inspired stripings to wrap your dreams...created by Angelo Donghia for J.P. Stevens "Fine Arts" collection. All arranged on a soft, smooth, no-iron blend of polyester and cotton percale and labeled "Meadowbrook" only because of slight imperfections. Choose from rainbow stripings of red-orange-yellow-green-blue-purple or down-to-earth tones of brown-beige-rust.

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 King, if perf. 18.50 ea. \_\_\_\_\_ **2 for 19.50**  
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 King case, if perf. 4.25 \_\_\_\_\_ **3.00 ea.**  
 Fitted styles:  
 Twin, if perf. 8.95 ea. \_\_\_\_\_ **2 for 8.50**  
 Double, if perf. 9.95 ea. \_\_\_\_\_ **2 for 11.50**  
 Queen, if perf. 15.50 ea. \_\_\_\_\_ **2 for 18.00**  
 King, if perf. 18.50 ea. \_\_\_\_\_ **2 for 20.50**  
 Sheets, 7th Floor, New York and all stores.

**tempting savings on "invitation" towels irregulars by martex**

**3.75** Bath towel, if perf. 6.75

Always welcome...the plush beauty and deep luxury as well as the super savings on these luscious sheared cotton terry towels. Just the slight imperfections label them irregular. In delicious tones of cornflower blue, spring green, bark brown, pearl, suede, pink carnation or cognac.

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 Towels, 7th Floor, New York and all stores.

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# bloomingdale's semi-annual furniture and rug clearance... save 25% to 55%

• Substantial Savings on modern and traditional furniture from such famous names in furniture and design as Henredon, Thayer Coggin, Milo Baughman, John Mascheroni, Simmons, Stearns and Foster and Founders; plus our own imports from around the world.

Last 6 Days Of Our Half-Yearly Furniture And Rug Sale

**save 40% to 50% final bedding clearance**

Mattress and box springs in discontinued styles by such famous makers as Simmons, Eclipse and Rite Foam. Assorted tickings and firmnesses.

Twin, mattress or box spring, reg. 85.00 to 110.00	49.00 to 55.00
Full, mattress or box spring, reg. 120.00 to 130.00	59.00 to 69.00
Queen, 2 pc. set, reg. 310.00 to 350.00	179.00 to 199.00
King, 3 pc. set, reg. 415.00 to 460.00	249.00

Sleep Shop, 5th Floor.

**save 35% to 50% modern furniture**

Save 50% on Thayer Coggin's Pecky Elm Wall Systems. Made up of modular units which include open pieces with mirror-chrome back, 3-drawer units, and 2-door units. Available in honey or tobacco finish with chrome trim and pulls.

Wall units 660.00 to 2500.00	330.00 to 1250.00
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save 45% on contemporary student desks  
Handsomely crafted of white vinyl laminate and chrome.

18x48x29H, reg. 183.00	99.00
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save 35% on series 70 chrome and glass tables

Parsons styled tables available in a variety of sizes and shapes including:

Console 60x19x27, reg. 315.00	199.00
Square cocktail 32x32x15, reg. 215.00	139.00
Rectangular cocktail 54x19x15, reg. 220.00	139.00
End table 27x21x21, reg. 158.00	99.00
Bunch table 15x20x15, reg. 120.00	75.00

Modern Furniture, 5th Floor.

**save up to 45% concept 8 furniture**

Natural rattan tray table, reg. 29.00	19.00
Chocolate brown plastic game table with glass top, 32" square, reg. 79.00	59.00
Imported stereo cabinet of dark brown veneer, reg. 180.00	99.00
5-pc. imported dining sets, variety of colors, reg. 415.00	255.00*
Plastic bar cart with bottle tray, in black only, reg. 125.00	69.00*

Stack chairs in black plastic only, reg. 30.00 ea. **four for 69.00**

Chrome ice cream chair, with cane seat and black trim, reg. 85.00 **69.00**

High back chair of steel tubing with canvas back and cotton covered cushions, in yellow only, reg. 105.00 **75.00\***

\*Please add 10.00 for assembly of these pieces.  
Concept 8th Floor.

**save 30% to 50% upholstered furniture from our model rooms and floor settings**

Included in this final clearance are all of our model room pieces and floor samples from our fine custom upholstered furniture collections such as Beekman Place, Trianon, Signature B and Chestnut Hill. Most are one-of-a-kind pieces, so shop early for the best selection.

Sofas, reg. 595.00 to 2595.00	399.00 to 1795.00
Loveseats, reg. 550.00 to 2100.00	379.00 to 1495.00
Chairs, reg. 200.00 to 1295.00	99.00 to 899.00

**special purchase on upholstered wing chairs**  
Save 50% on a limited quantity of Chippendale and Louis XV wing chairs.

Chippendale wing chair in brown corduroy, reg. 350.00	175.00
Louis XV wing chair in gold velvet, reg. 500.00	249.00

Upholstered Furniture, 5th Floor.

**save 25% to 40% traditional furniture**

This collection includes European imports and pieces from famous domestic manufacturers.

Antique dark wood veneer 42" round dining table with two 16" leaves, reg. 995.00	745.00
Half-round console, country French finish, 39" wide, reg. 300.00	225.00
One-drawer night stand, country French finish, 27" wide, reg. 250.00	179.00
2-part secretary in natural antiqued pine with wire grille doors, 41x83"H, reg. 1300.00	699.00
Rectangular dining table, antiqued natural pine, 79" long, reg. 1100.00	650.00
2-door buffet, antiqued natural pine, 52" L x 20x44"H, reg. 995.00	650.00
Antiqued pine stool, 16x16x22"H, reg. 200.00	125.00
Louis XV rectangular tea table, in natural pine with carved apron, 20x28x28"H, reg. 350.00	250.00
Queen size lacquered trellis canopy bed, reg. 1250.00	750.00
Lacquered 16" lattice cube, reg. 155.00	95.00
2-part painted secretary with drop lid desk, wire grille door, 26x72"H, reg. 715.00	450.00
Rustic painted armoire with trellis doors, 46x81"H, 1595.00	995.00
Antiqued pine stool with leather straps, reg. 125.00	79.00
Walnut finish bench with tan suede vinyl seat, reg. 150.00	119.00
Antiqued natural pine double pedestal desk with 2 doors, 3 top drawers, 64" long, reg. 950.00	699.00
Antiqued natural pine coffee chest, 41" long, reg. 600.00	399.00
Antiqued red leather cocktail table, 60x28", 495.00	295.00
Dark finish pine tavern table, 40"L, reg. 400.00	250.00
29" half-round dark finish pine console, reg. 200.00	125.00
3-legged dark finish pine stool, 22" square, reg. 160.00	99.00

Traditional Furniture, 5th Floor.

**designer's sale**

Save 30% to 65% in our once-a-year sale. Accessories from our famous model rooms and Vignettes. Draperies, bedspreads, throw pillows, rugs, architectural structures and many one-of-a-kind items from our model rooms and displays. Quantities are limited, so hurry in for the best selection. No returns. All as is.

Designer Sale, 5th Floor.

**save 40% to 55% rug collections**

'Norden'-A colorful modern design rug woven of 80% wool and 20% nylon pile. Available in two patterns and four attractive colorways.

57"x71", reg. 275.00	129.00
82"x116", reg. 550.00	249.00

'Villager'-folklore styling woven of 100% wool pile. Available in two patterns.

4'x6', reg. 175.00	99.00
57"x71", reg. 325.00	179.00
83"x112", reg. 550.00	299.00

'Drugger'-Attractive flatweaves hand woven in India of 100% wool pile. Available in three patterns.

30"x54", reg. 35.00	19.00
42"x66", reg. 50.00	29.00
56"x86", reg. 120.00	59.00

- \* all sold as-is
- \* all sales final
- \* ready for immediate delivery
- \* all selections not available at all stores
- \* we regret, no mail, phone or C.O.D.'s
- \* limited quantities, so shop early
- \* all stores except Fresh Meadows and New Rochelle.
- \* all items subject to prior sale.

**save 33% to 40% brown jordan outdoor furniture**

Save a super 33% on an assortment of Brown Jordan outdoor furniture. Included are customer cancellations specially priced for this event. Available in New York only. The following is a sample from the assortment:

Just 4-Tamiami armchairs in zinnia, reg. 77.00	50.00 ea.
Just 1-Tamiami adjustable chaise in Jonquil, reg. 209.00	137.00
Just 1-serving cart in white, reg. 183.00	120.00

Also, save 40% on a selection of one-of-a-kind and as-is pieces of outdoor furniture from Brown Jordan and Meadowcraft. The selection is different in every store, so hurry in. All stores except Fresh Meadows, New Rochelle, and Scarsdale.

Summer Furniture, 8th Floor.

**save 40% custom finished colonial bedroom**

Spectacular savings on our custom painted colonial bedroom. Made of solid hardwoods and finished in your choice of 26 colors. Also available unfinished at substantial savings. New York, Stamford, Bergen County, Short Hills and Jenkintown stores only.

Night stand, reg. 90.00	54.00
5-drawer chest, reg. 185.00	111.00
6-drawer dresser, reg. 210.00	126.00
6-drawer lingerie chest, reg. 175.00	106.00

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